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The present market can perhaps best be described as "Explosive." Record prices set at auction for rarities and top-grade specimens seem to last only long enough until another specimen is offered, when a new record is set. The true criterion of the market can best be evaluated by knowing the amount of bidders on each item and how much they are willing to bid for it. During the past year the amount of bidders for rarities and top-grade specimens have increased substantially together with the specific price they are willing to bid. In addition, the number of lots being awarded to dealers has increased. Thus the informed collector and dealer, recognizing the strong demand and dwindling supply, has constantly increased his bids to the amount necessary to obtain the coin or note.

Since several months must elapse between the cataloging of a sale and the time it actually takes place, it is inevitable in this rapidly rising market that a number will realize more than our estimates. We do not like this situation, but it exists. Informed collectors and dealers, realizing this, have increasingly taken advantage of the provision to increase their bids (see bottom of bid sheet), if necessary, to obtain the lots particularly wanted. The increase may be limited to specific lots or apply to all the bids, whichever the bidder may instruct us.

The main difference between the bidder of a decade ago and the present bidder is that he is better informd.

Recollections of our earlier sales occur rather frequently when we read, "Do You Remember When" page in the Numismatic Scrapbook wherein under "Thirty Years Ago" they refer to various items in our sales and what they then brought.

We feel this sale truly deserves its title, "KAGIN'S SALE OF THE 70's". It contains many Rare and Exceptional coins and currency. No doubt it will serve as a reference for many years to come. The word "UNIQUE" appears a number of times. We hape many collectors avail themselves of the opportunity to acquire at least one of these. Who knows how many years will pass before an occasion like this again occurs.

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FIRST SESSION

Friday Afternoon, November 2, 1973

1:00 P.M. --- Lots 1-528

Consignment A — Texas

COMPLETE COMMEMORATIVE SET

1. COMPLETE 144 PIECE SET COMMEMORATIVE HALVES, 25¢, $1 mounted in 5 attractive plastic holders. BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED except for Lincoln, Huguenot, Long Island and 1935 Arkansas which have slight friction. Most specimens are somewhat superior to those generally offered and many would qualify as "GEMS". Increasingly difficult to assemble in this superior state of preservation. We note sets have changed hands earlier this year at over $15,000.00 but more recently, prices have fluctuated.

COMPLETE SET TEXAS COMMEMORATIVE HALVES

2. COMPLETE 13 PIECE TEXAS SET, 1934-1938, mounted in plastic holder shape of Texas, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, somewhat superior to most seen.

1937-1942 PROOF SETS

3. PROOF SETS 1937, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942 (both 5¢) in 5 plastic holders, brilliant to natural toning with only a few having spots, uncleaned.

4. PROOF SETS 1940, 1942 (both 5¢) in plastic holders, brilliant to natural toning; the 1940 50¢ has small carbon spot reverse edge.

1856-1909 EAGLE & INDIAN CENTS, MAINLY PROOFS

5. **1856 FLYING EAGLE, only slight friction on obverse (about uncirculated) with the reverse qualifying as a full extremely fine, lovely golden bluish toning. Popular. Surely this desirable specimen should exceed its modest catalog value in E.F. of** **1,400.00**
6. 1857 Golden Uncirculated, sharp struck with wire edge, some pinpoint carbon spots on reverse and microscopic edge nick above C. We note comparable specimens at the Boston A.N.A. priced around 300.00
7. 1858 Large Letters, glittering golden olive uncirculated, sharp struck with wire edge; only a small reverse carbon spot to detract. Scarcer than above.
8. **1858 INDIAN, TYPE OF REGULAR 1859**, Judd 203, glittering golden bluish uncirculated with prooflike surface, tiny carbon spot and one leaf not fully struck up. Scott Catalogue includes it among the regular issues with the statement "a quantity of non-proofs were placed in circulation, probably the same year". Many times rarer than regular 1859. Actually rarer than 1856.
9. **1859 INDIAN, Laurel Wreath, without shield,** glittering golden bluish uncirculated, choice. Popular. Setting new records.
10. **1859 TYPE 1860 WITH SHIELD & OAK WREATH**, Judd 228, glittering golden uncirculated with prooflike surface; only a tiny nick above the head detracts. Scott includes it among the regular issues with the statement "a quantity of non-proofs were placed in circulation, probably the following year." Much rarer than 1856 but not yet in as strong demand. The 3 years-old Scott values it $200; present value?
11. 1860 GLITTERING BLUISH PROOF, only a microscopic nick and tiny carbon spot to detract from its perfection. Guidebook value of 460.00
12. 1861 GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOF, CHOICE! Should exceed its catalog of 525.00
13. 1862 Glittering Bluish Proof, some toning. Catalogs 325.00
14. 1864 Copper-Nickel, **GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOF**, only a tiny carbon spot to mar its beauty. Only 300 struck. Catalogs 600.00
15. **1864 BRONZE, Red & Bluish toned PROOF, only a tiny carbon spot to mar its beauty. ONLY 150 STRUCK! Catalog value seems low at only** **775.00**
16. 1864-L Uncirculated Red blending to deep red and brown. Catalogs 225.00
17. 1865 Glittering Red & Bluish PROOF, a few minute carbon specks. Cat. 325.00
18. 1866 GLITTERING RED PROOF, slight toning on reverse. Catalogs 325.00
19. 1867 Glittering Red PROOF, tiny carbon spot. Catalogs 325.00
20. 1868 Red Orange PROOF with trace of pink, probably cleaned some time ago, REVERSE DIE ROTATED 180°. Catalogs (normal) 325.00
21. **1869 GLITTERING RED PROOF, microscopic planchet chip on reverse. Catalogs** **535.00**
22. 1870 PROOF, Red obverse, red & blue reverse, faint rub on bow-knot. Cat. 350.00
23. 1871 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT PROOF. Catalogs 410.00
24. **1872 RED PROOF, choicer than most. Catalogs** **485.00**
25. 1873 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT PROOF. Catalogs 265.00
26. 1874 PROOF, somewhat dull, spot. Catalogs 235.00
27. 1875 GLITTERING RED PROOF. A magnificent specimen! Catalogs 235.00
28. 1876 GLITTERING RED PROOF, some carbon flecks. Catalogs 200.00
29. **1877 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT PROOF, minute carbon flecks. Catalogs** **1,000.00**
30. 1878 GLITTERING RED & PINK PROOF. A magnificent specimen! Catalogs 150.00
31. 1879-83-81-86-96-98 Iridescent PROOFS. Catalog 366.10
32. 1880-84-88-90 GLITTERING RED & PINK PROOFS, CHOICE! Catalog 205.00
33. 1881-82-91-92-93-94-95 Red PROOFS, minute carbon flecks, etc. Cat. 320.00
34. 1897-99-1903-04-08 Lot 5 iridescent PROOFS. Catalog 245.50
35. 1900-01-02 Heavily toned or spotted PROOFS, first with tiny nick. Cat. 142.50
36. 1905-06-07-09 GLITTERING RED & PINK PROOFS, CHOICE! Catalog 202.50
37. 1908-S Red Uncirculated, choicer than most. Catalogs 95.00
38. 1909-S Red Uncirculated with slight toning. Choicer than most. Cat. 235.00

EAGLE & INDIAN CENT DUPLICATES & LINCOLNS

39. 1857 Flying Eagle, Brilliant Uncirculated, Wire Edge, tiny nick above eagle.
40. 1859 Indian, wreath reverse, golden bluish Uncirculated. Popular.
41. 1860, 64CN, 64 Bronze, uncirculated CHOICE! Catalog 170.00
42. 1865-66-67-68 Uncirculated red and brown. Catalog 415.00
43. 1865 Red and bluish toned PROOF. Catalogs 325.00
44. 1868 Glittering Iridescent PROOF, a few minute flecks of carbon. REVERSE DIE ROTATED 180°. Catalogs (normal) 325.00

45. 1869 Uncirculated red toning to brown. Catalogs 280.00
46. 1872 Uncirculated reddish brown, 2 carbon spots reverse. Cat. 250.00
47. 1872 PROOF. Red with some brown toning. Catalogs 485.00
48. 1875-78-99-1900-03 Red Uncirculated, some minute carbon flecks. Cat. 220.50
49. 1876, 1899 Uncirculated red and brown. Catalog 107.50
50. 1877 Uncirculated Red and brown. SCARCE. Catalogs 715.00
51. 1891, 1899 Red PROOFS with some minute carbon flecks. Catalog 96.50
52. LINCOLN PROOFS 1938-39-40-42-52, red. Catalog 47.50

TWO-CENTS & THREE-CENTS NICKEL

53. 1864 SMALL MOTTO, virtually Uncirculated, leaf on left not quite full and minute nick, tiny planchet imperfection above "2", probably cleaned some time ago and now has subdued red orange color. Catalogs E.F. $100 & unc. 275.00
54. 1864 LARGE MOTTO, Pattern Judd 371, PROOF trial piece struck in copper-nickel, toned with some carbon flecks. Cat. (Judd) 175.00
55. 1865 GLITTERING RED & GOLDEN PROOF, minute carbon flecks. Catalogs 140.00
56. 1865, 1868 Uncirculated red and brown, some carbon spots. Catalogs 117.00
57. 1867-69-70 Iridescent PROOFS, some carbon spots. Catalog 415.00
58. 1871 Brilliant & Red PROOF, a few minute carbon flecks. Catalogs 155.00
59. 1872 Red toned PROOF, some carbon flecks, faint short scratch. Cat. 250.00
60. 1873 Closed 3, GLITTERING REDDISH GOLDEN PROOF, CHOICE! Catalogs 600.00
61. 1873 Open 3, red and blue PROOF. Rare. Catalogs 650.00
62. THREE-CENTS NICKEL 1865 Bluish toned PROOF, some minute carbon flecks. Cat. 500.50
63. 1866 BRILLIANT PROOF, planchet defect back of head. Catalogs 150.00
64. 1866-68-70-74-75-76-78-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87/6-87-88-89 Deeply toned and spotted PROOFS.
65. 1867-68-71-72 BRILLIANT PROOFS, a few minute carbon flecks. Cat. 297.50
66. 1869-70-73-74-76 Bluish PROOFS, a few minute carbon flecks. Cat. 360.00
67. 1877 BRILLIANT PROOF, a few minute carbon flecks. RARE. Catalogs 650.00
68. 1878 BRILLIANT slightly golden PROOF, CHOICE! Catalogs 195.00
69. 1878 Glittering golden PROOF. Catalogs 195.00
70. 1878-79-80-81-82-83-84-85-86-87-88-89 Brilliant to bluish golden PROOFS, some with minute carbon flecks. Catalog 1,095.00
71. 1887 OVER 6, GLITTERING BLUE PROOF. A magnificent specimen! Catalogs 215.00
72. 1875, 1887, 1889 Deeply toned and spotted PROOFS, 1865 bluish unc.
73. 1887 OVER 86 with traces original 8 & much of 6, bluish PROOF, SCARCE!
74. 1887 OVER 6 with more than half of 6 visible, BRILLIANT PROOF. RARE.

SHIELD, LIBERTY, BUFFALO NICKELS

75. 1867 No rays, Uncirculated Sharp Struck, cleaned but now toned bluish golden.
76. 1868 Brilliant bluish Uncirculated, Sharp Struck. Catalogs 47.50
77. 1869 BRILLIANT PROOF, small planchet imperfection below "5".
78. 1870 BRILLIANT slightly golden PROOF, wire edge. Catalogs 90.00
79. 1871 Bluish golden PROOF, wire edge. Scarce. Catalogs 300.00
80. 1871 Duplicate PROOF with deep toning.
81. 1872 Bluish golden PROOF. Catalogs 85.00
82. 1873 Open 3, 1874, 1876 Uncirculated bluish golden. Catalog 162.50
83. 1875 Deeply toned PROOF, some carbon flecks. Catalogs 152.50
84. 1877 Deeply toned PROOF. RARE. Catalogs 825.00
85. 1878 BRILLIANT PROOF, CHOICE! Catalogs 235.00
86. 1879 Brilliant slightly golden PROOF. Catalogs 100.00
87. 1880 Brilliant bluish PROOF, some minute carbon flecks. Cat. 100.00
88. 1881 Brilliant Proof, tiny spot. Catalogs 100.00
89. 1882 Brilliant slightly golden PROOF. Catalogs 80.00
90. 1883 Shield, Uncirculated golden. Catalogs 47.50

91. LIBERTY HEAD NICKELS, COMPLETE SET 1883-1912-D-S, mounted in plastic. 1883 No Cents is unc. with tiny nicks; 1884 & 1912-D-S are choice unc. but toned; all others 1883 thru 1912 are brilliant to toned PROOFS. Catalogs 2,910.00

92. 1885 PROOF, golden obverse, deeply toned reverse, few carbon flecks. Cat. 340.00
93. 1885 Uncirculated toned, pinscratches on rev. Scarce. Catalogs 240.00
94. 1886 Glittering Blue PROOF, a few carbon flecks. Catalogs 180.00
95. 1895 Toned PROOF. Catalogs 65.00
96. 1912-S Uncirculated toned, small spot on reverse. Catalogs 375.00
97. 1913-D Type I golden unc.; 1950-D Bril. unc.; 1940 golden PROOF. Cat. 55.00
98. 1914 Golden PROOF, carbon spot on reverse. Catalogs 240.00
99. 1924-D Extremely fine, porous planchet. Catalogs 48.00

THREE-CENTS SILVER

100. 1851 Uncirculated golden, tiny pinscratches & slight edge nick. Cat. 90.00
101. 1851-0, 52, 53 Near Uncirculated (cleaned.)
102. 1854, 1855 Near uncirculated (cleaned). Popular type II var.
103. 1855 Uncirculated golden, several stars not fully struck up. Cat. 350.00
104. 1856 Uncirculated golden, bottom of date, top of UNIT and stars not fully struck up. Popular. Catalogs 275.00
105. 1857 Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, rather similar in striking to above, struck from clashed dies, tiny carbon spot. Catalogs 275.00
106. 1858 Virtually Uncirculated (cleaned), weakly struck in date, legend and stars.
107. 1859-60-61-62 Near Uncirculated (cleaned).
108. 1863 Bluish PROOF, slightly bent planchet, carbon spots.
109. 1863 Brilliant slightly golden PROOF. Scarce. Catalogs 275.00
110. 1864 Brilliant PROOF although not in full luster, slightly bent. Scarce.
111. 1864 Near Uncirculated (cleaned), struck from clashed dies. Scarce.
112. 1865 BRILLIANT PROOF, tiny weak spot near stem of leaf. Catalogs 275.00
113. 1865 Duplicate with fine hairlines evidence of cleaning.
114. 1866 Glittering golden PROOF, minute carbon spot. Catalogs 210.00
115. 1867 BRILLIANT PROOF WITH WIRE EDGE, CHOICE! Catalogs 200.00
116. 1868 Brilliant PROOF, pinpoint nick in field.
117. 1869 PROOF with hairlines evidence of cleaning.
118. 1870 Extremely fine with some luster.
119. 1871 Brilliant PROOF, hairline scratch on reverse.
120. 1872 BRILLIANT PROOF, CHOICE! Catalogs 175.00
121. 1873 Brilliant PROOF, some faint hairlines and tiny carbon spot.

HALF DIMES 1859-1873 PROOF SET, ETC.

122. 1859-1873 (1 each date, no 1859, 1860 transitionals) mounted in plastic lettered "HALF DIMES 1859-1873 FROM THE COLLECTION OF FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN, COMPLETE SET — CHOICE PROOFS". Close examination reveals the 1862 to be sharp struck unc. and 1867 to be struck from clashed dies and is unc. sharp struck prooflike. The set ranges from blue to golden, a few have "lint-marks" (lint fibers adhering to die from wiping during striking of proofs) and only slight evidence of carbon spots. An attractive set which catalogs 2,245.00

123. 1837 NO STARS, Large Date, virtually Uncirculated, only faint rubbing visible with glass, attractive blue patina. Well worth over 200.00
124. 1837 NO STARS duplicate Large Date, extremely fine. Catalogs 150.00
125. 1860 Legend obverse, extremely fine and sharp, some luster.

126. 1859-1891 (1 each date but both 1873, no 1859 transitional) mounted in plastic lettered "LIBERTY SEATED DIMES 1859-1891 FROM THE COLLECTION OF FRANCIS CARDINAL SPELLMAN, COMPLETE SET — CHOICE PROOFS". Close examination reveals 1862, 74, 75, 77, 84, 85 are sharp struck uncirculated with prooflike surfaces. The set ranges from brilliant to bluish golden and light to deep toning, a few have "lint-marks" (see lot 122) and only slight evidence of carbon spots. An attractive set which catalogs — 4,515.00

127. BARBER TYPE 1892-1916 Complete Set (except 1894-S) P-D-O-S mints mounted in plastic. Set appears to be uncirculated until closely examined with a glass. Many have been cleaned in order to make it a "matching set". The 1913-S is a sharp extremely fine with the balance of set being Uncirculated or very close to it. A seldom offered opportunity to acquire a complete set in this state of preservation. We urge personal inspection.

128. MERCURY SET 1916-1945 Complete Set P-D-S mints mounted in plastic. Set appears to be uncirculated but close examination reveals some are not. The 1942/41 is circulated but the main dates (1916-D, 19-D-S, 21-P-D, 25-D) are uncirculated altho some of the others appear cleaned. Many are GEMS.

TWENTY-CENT PIECES

129. 1902-O Uncirculated but has some minor abrasions.

130. 1926-S Extremely fine. Catalogs — 70.00

131. 1934-D Brilliant unc.; 1940 Brilliant PROOF. Catalog — 52.50

132. 1942 OVER 1. Fine. Catalogs — 125.00

133. 1875 Brilliant PROOF, 2 microscopic nicks and carbon spot. Cat. — 375.00

134. 1875-S Brilliant to golden unc., solid "s" variety, top of left wing shoulder flatly struck. Catalogs — 300.00

135. 1875-CC Extremely Fine, top left wing shoulder flatly struck. Cat. — 110.00

136. 1876 Brilliant Uncirculated, prooflike surfaces, tiny planchet imperfections obverse and reverse fields.

137. **1877 BRILLIANT PROOF with some toning, faint hairlines evident when closely examined. Rare. Catalogs** — **675.00**

138. **1878 BRILLIANT PROOF, CHOICE! A lovely specimen. Catalogs** — **625.00**

QUARTERS, HALVES, 1906 PROOF SET

139. QUARTERS 1857 Ex. fine, 1892 virtually unc. (faint rub & hairlines).
140. 1916 LIBERTY STANDING, Brilliant Uncirculated, carbon fleck on reverse, choicer than most but average strike with obverse stars, shield and head not quite full. Popular. Catalogs 950.00

PLATE

141. 1917-D Variety I, Brilliant Uncirculated, has been cleaned; head, breast and left rivets of shield a trifle weak.
142. 1921 Brilliant and golden Uncirculated, cleaned but now acquiring a natural appearance head and a few rivets rather flat, short light pinscratch right obverse. Scarce.
143. 1940 25¢ & 50¢ Brilliant and toned PROOFS. Catalog 95.00
144. HALF DOLLAR 1906 Brilliant Uncirculated, tiny carbon fleck. Catalogs 240.00
145. 1906 PROOF SET 50¢, 25¢, 10¢, 5¢, 1¢ Glittering Blue & Golden PROOF SET in plastic, CHOICE! It undoubtedly will exceed its catalog value of 667.50

COMMEMORATIVE SILVER & GOLD

146. 1900 Lafayette $1, extremely fine (cleaned, light scratch, some friction).
147. 1936 Ark., 1918 Lincoln, 1920 Pilgrim, toned unc., traces or cleaning.
148. 1936 Bay Bridge, 35/34 Boone, 25 Calif., 36 Cleveland, 46 Iowa, toned unc.
149. 1936 Long Is., 36 Norfolk, 26 Oregon, 36 Robinson, brilliant to toned unc.
150. 1936 Rhode Is. 25 Stone Mt., 35-D Texas, brilliant to toned unc.
151. 1937 Roanoke, 25 Sesqui, 34 Texas; first 2 near unc., 3rd ex. fine.
152. 1925 Norse octagon, thick planchet, toned uncirculated.
153. GOLD $1 1905 Lewis & Clark, appears to be uncirculated but close inspection reveals faint rubbing on reverse bust, some granulation of planchet and faint scratches in right obverse field.
154. $1 1916 McKinley, uncirculated with wire edge. Catalogs 165.00

LIBERTY HEAD SILVER DOLLARS

One of the most popular series with many advancing substantially this year. In fact, a number now bring somewhat more than the suggested prices in the Guidebook. "Bag-marks" are minor abrasions acquired from being stored and shipped in bags. All uncirculated specimens have them. An excessive amount will be so noted, as will those with less than the usual quota (CHOICE). Truly exceptional specimens will be so noted.

155. 1878 8 Feathers, 1878 7 Over 8 feathers, 78-CC-S bril. unc. Cat. 80.00
156. 1878 7 Feathers 2nd rev.; similar but 3rd rev.; 79-P-O-S bril. unc. Cat. 54.00
157. 1879-CC Brilliant Uncirculated, "rusted CC" variety, check bag-marked. Cat. 425.00
158. 1880-CC Brilliant Uncirculated, third reverse. Catalogs 80.00
159. 1880-CC, 8 Over low 7, 3rd rev., Brilliant Uncirculated, prooflike, only usual amount of "bag-marks". Catalogs 325.00
160. 1880-P-O-S, 81-P-O-S, 82-P-O-S, 83-P-O, 84-P-O, 85-P-O Bril. unc. Cat. 111.00
161. 1881-CC, 82-CC, 83-CC Brilliant unc., usual amount "bag-marks". Cat. 155.00
162. 1883-S, 84-S, 84-CC About Uncirculated, excessively bag-marked.
163. 1883-CC, 85-CC Brilliant unc., latter prooflike. Catalog 105.00
164. 1885, 87, 88-P-O, 91-P-S Brilliant unc., usual "bag-marks". Catalog 87.50
165. 1885-S, 86-O, 87-S, 88-S Brilliant unc., excessive bag-marks or weak struck.
166. 1886, 87-O, 89-O-S Near Uncirculated; 86-S ext. fine with luster.
167. 1889-CC Extremely fine with traces of luster. Catalogs 250.00
168. 1889, 91, 92-O, 97-S, 98, 99, 00-O, 03-O, 04 Brilliant to golden unc. Cat. 242.00
169. 1890-CC, 1892-CC Brilliant Uncirculated. Catalog 295.00
170. 1890-P-S, 93-O, 96-O, 97, 98-O, 01 Near Uncirculated, much luster.
171. 1890-O, 91-CC-O, 92, 93, 94-S Uncirculated but excessive bag-marks or weak struck.
172. 1892-S Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction visible when closely examined, much luster, tiny nick on eagle's breast. RARE. An acceptable specimen for one not wishing to invest the Guidebook value of $6,000 for unc.

PLATE

173. 1893-CC Brilliant Uncirculated with some prooflike surface, flat struck curls above ear, eagle's breast and legs. Scarce.
174. 1894-P-O, 95-S, Extremely fine and sharp, much luster.
175. 1893-S Extremely fine with traces of luster, tiny nick on cheek. RARE.
176. 1895-O A nice Very Fine without any serious defects.

177. **1895 BRILLIANT PROOF. VERY RARE! SETTING NEW RECORDS. POPULAR! SHOULD EXCEED THE GUIDEBOOK VALUE OF** 6,000.00
PLATE

178. 1896, 97, 98-P-S, 99-P-O-S, 1900-P-S, 01-O-S, 02-P-O-S, 03, 04-O, 21-P-D-S Uncirculated but excessive bagmarks or weak struck.
179. 1895-S Near Uncirculated, only slight friction. Cost $450; present value?
180. 1896-S, 97-O Extremely fine. Catalog 67.50
181. 1903-S, 1904-S Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, luster. Rare.

TRADE DOLLARS

182. 1873 Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction. Scarce.
183. 1873-CC-S Extremely fine pair. Catalog 215.00
184. 1874 Toned PROOF, some hairlines, flat struck breast and head, eagle's leg.
185. 1874-CC Ex. fine but flat struck head and nearby stars; 74-S Ex. fine
186. 1875 Glittering bluish PROOF, hairline in field.
187. 1875-CC Extremely Fine; 1875-S near uncirculated.
188. 1876 PROOF but weak struck eagle's leg and minute field abrasions.
189. 1876-CC-S Near uncirculated pair with luster.
190. 1877-P-CC Very fine pair with slight edge nicks.
191. 1877-S, 78-S Near Uncirculated, only slight friction.
192. 1878 Glittering PROOF, some minute imperfections.
193. 1878-CC Very Fine. Scarce.
194. 1879, 1883 Very Fine pair. Seldom offered in this grade. Scarce.
195. 1880, 1882 Extremely fine with traces of luster. Scarce.
196. 1881 BRILLIANT PROOF, some minute carbon flecks. Catalogs 425.00
197. 1883 Bluish PROOF, some minute abrasions. Scarce.

TYPE 1¢-25¢, 1904 PROOF SET

198. 1¢ 1853 Uncirculated, deep toned reddish brown. Catalogs 100.00
199. 1¢ 1909-S Indian, Uncirculated brown. Scarce. Catalogs 235.00
200. 3¢ Nickel 1865 toned unc. weak struck; 1888 blue PROOF; 5¢ 1883 shield toned unc.
201. 5¢ 1883 Shield, 1904 Liberty deep toned PROOFS; 1942 Type II golden PROOF.

202. 1904 PROOF SET 1-5-10-25-50¢-$1 in plastic, Brilliant to bluish golden, CHOICE! Should exceed its catalog value of 967.50

203. 10¢ 1832 Near Uncirculated, only slight friction on highest points.
204. 10c 1892 Uncirculated golden. Catalogs low at only 50.00
205. 25c 1857 Near Uncirculated, some friction on highest points, pinpoint nick.
206. **25¢ 1917-D Type I, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, FULL HEAD, CHOICE! Popular.**

207. 25¢ 1928-D Brilliant bluish unc., FULL HEAD, tiny nicks on cheek.

LIBERTY WALKING HALF DOLLARS

208. 1916 Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, choicer than most.
209. 1916-D Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction on obv., slight edge nick.
210. 1916-S Only the slight weakness in the head, breast, hand and leg remove this lovely specimen from the "choice uncirculated" category. Scarce.
211. **1917 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! Scarce thus.**
212. 1917-D Obverse, Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, CHOICE!
213. 1917-D Reverse, Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most. Catalogs 190.00
214. **1917-S Obverse, Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most. RARE THUS.**
215. 1917-S Reverse, Uncirculated slightly golden, has been cleaned.
216. **1918 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! Close to "GEM".**
217. 1918-D Brilliant Uncirculated, typical weakness in striking of center.
218. 1918-S Uncirculated toned. Catalogs 140.00
219. 1919 Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, possibly cleaned some time ago but now assuming a more natural appearance.
220. 1919-D Brilliant Uncirculated, typical weak struck center obverse & reverse.

221. 1919-S Virtually Uncirculated, faint rubbing evident (cleaned some time ago and now has light golden patina). Rare date.
222. 1920 Uncirculated with subdued light bluish toning, sharper than most.
223. 1920-D Brilliant Uncirculated, sharper than most, 2 tiny edge nicks. SCARCE.
224. 1920-S Brilliant golden Uncirculated but weak struck center obverse, reverse and "s" ,slide mark right obverse field. Scarce date.
225. 1921 UNCIRCULATED SHARP STRUCK but a few light bag-marks obverse, attractive golden toning. RARE. Catalogs 950.00

PLATE

226. 1921-D BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! VERY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE CONDITION. Small golden spot top reverse. A lovely specimen deserving a record price.

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227. 1921-S Virtually Uncirculated, faint rubbing evident (cleaned some time ago) golden bluish toning, Liberty's head rather flat, 3 bag-marks visible on obverse. RARE DATE.

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228. 1923-S Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, choicer than most, a few bag-marks visible. Scarce.
229. 1927-S Brilliant Uncirculated, tiny bag-mark on rev., choicer than most. Cat. 225.00
230. 1928-S Uncirculated golden. Catalogs 215.00
231. 1929-D Near Uncirculated, slight friction, cleaned, some bag-marks, golden.
232. 1929-S Uncirculated golden, faint rub on breast and hand.
233. 1933-S Virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction center obverse and reverse.
234. 1934-P-S, 35 Virtually Uncirculated, cleaned, faint rubbing.
235. 1934-D, 35-D, 35-S Brilliant Uncirculated, weak struck or bag-marked.
236. 1936-1947 COMPLETE P-D-S set in plastic, all Uncirculated except 1937-D, 41-S, 42-D, 45-P-S which are cleaned and "polished". A few are weak struck (including 38-D) but most are nice strikes, brilliant to golden.

1916-D DIMES, BUFFALO PROOF NICKELS, ETC.

237. 1916-D MERCURY DIME, Brilliant Uncirculated, sharper than most. RARE. Cat. 800.00
238. 1916-D Duplicate, near Uncirculated, cleaned, slight friction. SCARCE.
239. 1902 10¢ Uncirculated with deep blue toning, some bag-marks.
240. 5¢ MATTE PROOF BUFFALOS 1913 (both) 14, 15, 16 lovely bluish golden set. RARE. Catalogs 1,380.00

LIBERTY HEAD SILVER DOLLARS 1878-1921

One of the most popular series presently collected. All come with "bag-marks" (from being shipped from Mint in bags); those with excessive "bag-marks" or fewer than usual (choice) will be so noted.

241. 1878 8 Feathers, 78 8/7 feathers, 78 7 feathers (2nd rev.), 79-S (3rd rev), 80-S, 81-CC, 82-S-CC, 83-O, 84-CC, 85, 86, 87-P-O, 88, 89, 90-CC, 98-O, 1900-O, 02 Brilliant to golden unc. A nice start free from excessive bag-marks, mounted in 3 albums. Catalog 459.00
242. 1878-S-CC, 79-O, 80-P-O, 81-O, 83-S, 84-O-S, 85-O-S, 86-O, 87-S, 88-S, 89-S, 90-P-S, 91-P-CC-S, 92, 93-P-O-CC, 94, 96-P-O-S/ 97-P-O, 98-P-S, 1900-S, 02-O, 04-P-S, 21-P-D-S Near Uncirculated with luster. Nice start.
243. 1897-CC, 80-CC, 81-S, 83-P-CC, 84, 85-CC, 88-O ,90-O, 91-O, 92-O-CC, 94-O-S, 97-S, 1901-O-S, 02-S, 03-P-O-S, 04-O Brilliant to golden uncirculated but excessive bag-marks or weak struck. Excellent start.
244. 1879, 81, 82-O, 86-S, 89-O, 99-0-S, 1900, 01 Extremely fine, luster. Cat. 94.00

TYPE SET U.S. GOLD, ETC.

245. TYPE SET GOLD IN PLASTIC $20 1900 unc., 1924 unc. (bag-marks); $10 1893 near unc., 1913 brilliant unc.; $5 1881 near unc., 1910 unc.; $3 near unc. choice; $2½ 1902 choice unc.; $1 1853 choice unc., 1855 Type II ex. fine obv. & near unc. rev., 1862 near unc., tiny edge nick.
246. $20 1900 Uncirculated, choicer than most. Premium coin worth over catalog.
247. $20 1911-D Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Rare thus.
248. $2½ 1926 Sesquicentennial, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

TYPE ½c, 1c, 2c, 3c, 5c

249. ½¢ 1800 GLITTERING BLUISH BROWN UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH PROOFLIKE SURFACE!
250. ½¢ 1809 Uncirculated lustrous chocolate, SHARP STRUCK, pinpoint carbon spot.
251. ½¢ 1849 Uncirculated lustrous tan & brown, SHARP STRUCK, pinpoint carbon spot.
252. 1¢ 1820 N-13, Large Date, Mint Red Uncirculated shading to bluish, needle-sharp struck hair, some stars not completely full (typical of this variety), tiny carbon fleck. Premium specimen.
253. 1¢ 1851 Mint Red Uncirculated Shading to brown, SHARP STRUCK! Premium Coin.
254. 1¢ 1857 Flying Eagle, Glittering Golden Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE BOTH SIDES!
255. 1¢ 1859 Indian, golden olive Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE BOTH SIDES!
256. 1¢ 1862 BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN GEM PROOF!
257. 1¢ 1883 Glittering iridescent GEM PROOF!
258. 1¢ 1909-V.D.B., 09 Plain, 18, 43-S, 44, 59, 62 in plastic Mint Red Unc.
259. 2¢ 1865 GLITTERING RED GEM PROOF! PERFECTION!
260. 3¢ Nickel, 1888 Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK WITH MINT FROST! Rarer than proof.
261. 3¢ 1851 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! COMPLETE MINT FROST!
262. 3¢ 1854 TYPE II, GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE UNCIRCULATED GEM! COMPLETE MINT FROST! PERFECTION!
263. 3¢ 1859 Type III, Glittering bluish golden WIRE EDGE UNCIRCULATED GEM!
264. 5¢ NICKEL 1867 Rays, bluish golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK WIRE EDGE GEM! 1867 no rays, Brilliant Wire Edge GEM PROOF; 1883 no Cents, Brilliant Wire Edge GEM PROOF; 1883 Cents, Glittering Golden WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF; 1913 Type I, 1913 Type II Brilliant golden Uncirculated GEMS; 1938, 1942 Type II Brilliant PROOFS; 1966 Prooflike, all mounted in plastic lettered "NICKEL TYPE SET".
265. HALF DIME 1829 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
266. HALF DIME 1853 Arrows, Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK but cleaned.
267. HALF DIME 1860 Brilliant Uncirculated SHARP STRUCK GEM! FULL MINT FROST!

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TYPE 10c, 20c, 25c, 50c, $1

268. 10¢ 1879 Golden Proof, some minor abrasions in field.
269. 10¢ 1881 Golden PROOF. Low total coinage.
270. 10¢ 1893 Brilliant Wire Edge GEM PROOF!
271. 10¢ 1916 Mercury, 1946; 25¢ 1932; 50¢ 1948 Choice Uncirculated lot 4.
272. 20¢ 1875-S Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most. SCARCE.
273. 25¢ 1806 Fine. Popular type.
274. 25c 1836 Uncirculated with deep golden patina, a glass reveals faint rubbing and minute imperfections.
275. 25c 1893 Isabella, Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most.
276. 25¢ 1907 Lovely iridescent GEM PROOF!
277. 25¢ 1917 Type I, Brilliant Uncirculated FULL HEAD GEM!
278. 25¢ 1917 Type II, Brilliant Uncirculated FULL HEAD GEM!

TYPE 10c, 20c, 25c 50c, $1 (Cont.)

279. 25¢ 1923 Brilliant Uncirculated, average head, GEM!
280. 25¢ 1932-S Brilliant golden Uncirculated, Sharp Struck carbon fleck at Y.
281. 50¢ 1873 No Arrows, Glittering iridescent Wire Edge PROOF, CHOICE!
282. 50¢ 1916 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
283. 50¢ 1916 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
283. 50¢ 1900 BRILLIANT PROOF, CHOICE!
284. 50¢ 1946-D, 1947-D, 1964(2) Brilliant bluish Uncirculated.
285. $1 1843 Brilliant Uncirculated Prooflike GEM! Pristine! RARE THUS.
286. $1 1871 Glittering golden Uncirculated, Prooflike obverse, GEM! Pristine!
287. $1 1900 Lafayette, Brilliant Uncirculated.
288. $1 1878 7 Over 8 Feathers, Brilliant Uncirculated, Prooflike.
289. $1 1921 Peace, Brilliant golden unc., sharper than most, Choice.
290. TRADE $1 1877-S Brilliant Uncirculated, GEM except for pinpoint edge nick.

PROOF SETS & S.F. MINT BAR

291. 1942 Both 5¢, Brilliant slightly golden Proof Set.
292. 1950 Through 1964 Proof Sets complete (1960 both small & Large Date sets) Brilliant to golden, lot 16 sets.
293. 1964 Proof set; 1965 lot 4 special mint sets.
294. S.F. Mint Silver Bar 5.23 ozs. 999.5 Fine # 1771 from Stack's 9/70 auction @ 63.00

ROLLS HALVES, DOLLARS, CANADA

295. 50¢ 1964-P-D, 1965, 1968-D Roll 20 each, brilliant uncirculated.
296. $1 1880-S(3), 81-S(3), 82-S, 83-O(3), 84-O(2), 85, 86(4), 87(2), 88(2), 1900-O, 01-O, 23, 25(2), Uncirculated, some bag-marks; 23-S near unc.
297. CANADA $1 1966 roll 20, Brilliant Uncirculated.
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298. CANADA 1967 Proof Set in plastic, 1-5-10-25-50¢-$1, brilliant.

FOREIGN GOLD

299. AUSTRALIA 1898 pound, "M" mint, Uncirculated, some bag-marks.
300. AUSTRIA 1915 100 Corona, Brilliant Uncirculated.
301. AUSTRIA 1915 ducat prooflike; 1931 25 schilling unc., faint bag-marks.
302. BOLIVIA 1952 35 grams, Brilliant Uncirculated. Scarce.
303. BRAZIL 1851 20,000 reis, virtually uncirculated, barest friction. Scarce.
304. CHILE 1926 10 condores (100 pesos), brilliant uncirculated, bag-marked.
305. CHINA 1966 2000 yuan (year 55), Brilliant Uncirculated.
306. COSTA RICA 1897 20 colones, Uncirculated. SCARCE Globus 10/72 @ 250.00
307. CUBA 1915 20 pesos, near Uncirculated. Scarce.
308. DOMINICAN REPUBLIC 1955 30 pesos, Uncirculated, bag-marked.
309. GHANA 1960 5 pounds, Prooflike, Choice.
310. GREAT BRITAIN 1915 pound, uncirculated except faint rub on hair.
311. ITALY 1863 20 lire, 1882 20 lire, Uncirculated, former pinpoint edge nick.
312. ICELAND 1861 500 Kronor, Brilliant Uncirculated. Scarce.
313. ISRAEL 1960 20 pounds, Brilliant Uncirculated. SCARCE.
314. LIECHTENSTEIN, 1956 50 franken, Brilliant Uncirculated.
315. PORTUGAL 1880 10,000 reis, Brilliant Uncirculated, Ex. Globus 10/72 @ 250.00
316 .MEXICO 1923 50 pesos, Uncirculated but minor abrasions.
317. MEXICO 1927 50 pesos, Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most.
318. RUSSIA 1888 5 roubles, Alexander III, extremely fine and sharp.
319. RUSSIA 1897 15 roubles near unc.; 1904 5 roubles unc. of Nicholas II.
320. SARDINIA 1830 80 lire, Genova mint, Ext. Fine, ex. 1971 A.N.A. sale @ $225.00
321. SAXONY 1616 ducat, Frdbg 2411, Brilliant unc., ex 1971 A.N.A. sale @ 120.00
322. SWITZERLAND 1927 20 francs, Brilliant Uncirculated.
323. TURKEY 1923 plus 41 500 piastres, prooflike.
324. TURKEY 1962 Money De Luxe, 500 piastres, prooflike.
325. SOUTH AFRICA 1964 Proof Set 9 (includes 1 & 2 rands gold) in plush box.
326. MEXICO GOLD SET 1921 50 pesos (SCARCE), 1959 20 pesos, 1908 10 pesos, 1955 5 pesos, 1945 2½ pesos, 1945 2 pesos, 1898 1 peso (Go mint) in plastic, unc.
327. CANADA GOLD SET 1912 $5, 1912 $10, 1910-C & 1919-C sovereigns; NEWFOUNDLAND 1881 $2 in plastic Uncirculated, usual bag-marks.

328. 50¢ FRANKLIN, 1948-63 Complete set 35 in plastic, Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most with minimum amount bag-marks.

329. $1 PEACE, 1921-35 Complete set 24 in plastic, Brilliant to golden Uncirculated, choicer than most except 1923-D, 25, 27-D, 28, 34-S, 35 appear to have been cleaned some time ago and now have acquired a pleasing toning. The 1926-D has slight friction and the 1934-S in not quite as sharp on obverse as it is on reverse.

Consignment C — Ohio

PATTERN NICKELS

330.	1866 J-461, Washington, nickel Proof, some toning, R6. Catalogs	225.00
331.	1866 J-462, Similar but copper, bluish brown, some carbon spots. Cat.	125.00
332.	1866 J-463, Similar but copper-nickel, thicker planchet than above, low nickel content as whiteness of nickel not as apparent as in copper-nickel cents, toned Proof. Listed as R7 and not priced in Judd. Ex 6/16/69 Kreisberg sale.	
333.	1866 J-470, Washington, dif. reverse, nickel, deeply toned, some friction, 2 carbon spots, R6. Catalogs	175.00
334.	1866 J-473, Washington, stars/bars die, nickel, toned Proof, R6. Cat.	210.00
335.	1866 J-482, Washington, tall 5 in wreath, copper Proof, cleaned. Listed as R8 and not priced in Judd.	
336.	1866 J-489, Shield, Dutch 5, nickel Proof, slight toning, R6. Cat.	185.00
337.	1866 J-490, Similar in copper, toned Proof, carbon flecks, R6. Cat.	130.00
338.	1866 J-504, Shield, short 5, nickel Proof, toned, carbon flecks, R6. Cat.	250.00
339.	1866 J-517, Washington, shield no rays, copper Proof, toned, several spots. Listed as R8 and not priced in Judd. Ex 2/6/60 Kreisberg sale.	
340.	1867 J-561, Liberty, V on shield, aluminum Proof, cleaned, tiny scratch in field, R6. Cat.	125.00
341.	1867 J-563, Similar in copper, toned Proof, carbon flecks, R8. Cat.	175.00
342.	1867 J-566, Liberty 5 CENTS, nickel Proof, carbon fleck, R6. Cat.	140.00
343.	1867 J-570, Similar but CENTS curved, nickel Proof, toned, flecks. R5. Cat.	110.00
344.	1867 J-571, Similar in copper, Proof, cleaned, R6. Catalogs	100.00
345.	1867 J-572, Regular dies trial piece (with rays) copper Proof, severely cleaned, carbon spots, R6. Catalogs	400.00
346.	1867 J-573, Regular dies trial (no rays) copper Proof, toned, R7. Cat.	165.00
347.	1868 J-624, Liberty, broad planchet, nickel Proof, R7. Catalogs	160.00
348.	1868 J-629, Normal planchet, aluminum Proof, R7. Catalogs	100.00
349.	**1868 J-632, Liberty, V in wreath, 6 pointed star, copper Proof, cleaned, R8. Ex 10/7/55 Bolender as Farouk # 1816. Catalogs**	**1,750.00**
350.	1868 J-633, Star added, cross, nickel Proof, toned, spotted, R4. Cat.	95.00
351.	1868 J-636, Regular dies trial in aluminum, ex. fine, R7. Cat.	175.00
352.	1869 J-684, Liberty, cross, nickel Proof, brilliant, R4. Cat.	200.00
353.	1871, J-1051, Liberty, silver plated copper, heavily toned, R5. Cat.	70.00
354.	1871, J-1054, Liberty, smaller size, copper Proof, toned, R5. Cat.	60.00
355.	1872, J-1189, Regular dies, copper Proof, toned, spotted, R7. Cat.	165.00
356.	1882, J-1675, Liberty, V, nickel Proof, corrosion spot at date. Listed as R8 and not priced in Judd. Ex Kaplan - Farouk.	
357.	1882 J-1682, Motto added, aluminum Proof, toned, R7. Cat.	225.00
358.	1882 J-1686, Finer Denticles Aluminum Proof, brilliant, R7. Catalogs	225.00
359.	**1882 J-1693,No ball to shield, nickel Proof, tiny spot, R6. Cat.**	**450.00**
360.	1883 J-1704, Liberty, Pure Nickel, carbon spots, R7. Catalogs	225.00
361.	1883 J-1707, "75N. 25C.", nickel Proof, weak struck rev., R7. Cat.	225.00
362.	1883 J-1711, "50N. 50C.", aluminum Proof, brilliant, R7. Catalogs	135.00
363.	1883 J-1713, "33N. 67C.", aluminum Proof, brilliant, R7. Cat.	135.00
364.	1883 J-1720, Regular dies "Cents", aluminum Proof, flecks, R8. Cat.	300.00
365.	1884 J-1724, Holed planchet, nickel Proof, golden, R7. Catalogs	175.00
366.	1896 J-1770. Crossed poles, nickel Proof, not fully struck up, R5. Cat.	175.00
367.	1896 J-1772, Similar in aluminum, Proof, corrosion at edge, R6. Cat.	140.00

TYPE HALF CENTS

368. 1793 Fair obverse (worn but legible), rev. partly legible.
369. 1794 Near Uncirculated, only slight friction, steel-blue color, highly desirable and rare so choice!
370. 1794 High Bust, Extremely Fine, small edge nick top reverse, sharp strike.
371. 1834 Near Uncirculated, only slight friction.
372. 1835 Mint Red Uncirculated with some brown toning. Desirable.
373. 1856 Prooflike, porous planchet, has been treated to give it the appearance of a proof, bluish brown color.

TYPE LARGE CENTS

374. 1793 CHAIN AMERICA, fine appearing but rough surface and abrasions.

375. 1793 S-8, WREATH, VINE & BARS EDGE, Extremely Fine obverse with reverse being closer to Uncirculated (only slightest wear), lovely smooth planchet, typical light die break across reverse. HIGHLY DESIRABLE! Deserving of bids approaching the mid-four figures.
PLATE

376. 1794 Very Fine, Slightly porous planchet.
377. 1802 Extremely Fine & Sharp, red and bluish (not natural color), pinpoint nick in field.
378. 1810 Over 9, obverse very close to Uncirculated, only slight friction, left stars not full; reverse a Sharp Extremely Fine with two left leaves rather flat. SCARCE.
379. 1818 Reddish brown virtually uncirculated (not natural color), forelock not struck up.

TYPE SMALL CENTS, 2c, 3c, 5c

380. 1857 Flying Eagle, Glittering Golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK, nick at wing.
381. 1859 INDIAN, WREATH REV., BRILLIANT GEM PROOF!
382. 1859 Indian, golden brown Uncirculated, Sharp.
383. 1862 Shield Reverse, BRILLIANT GEM PROOF!
384. 1885 Lovely iridescent GEM PROOF!
385. 1909-V.D.B., 1939, 1943 Unc.; 1961 Proof. Some spots & corrosion.
386. TWO-CENTS 1869 Glittering Red PROOF, CHOICE!
387. THREE-CENTS 1883 Brilliant PROOF, CHOICE!
388. SILVER THREE-CENTS 1852 Brilliant golden Uncirculated, usual strike.
389. 1858 Brilliant Uncirculated, has been cleaned.
390. 1871 Brilliant Wire Edge PROOF, CHOICE!
391. NICKELS 1866 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, minute carbon flecks.
392. 1882 Golden Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, Prooflike.
393. 1883 No Cents, Glittering golden Proof, carbon spots.
394. 1896 Glittering golden Wire Edge Proof. Scarce date.
395. 1913 Type I golden unc.; 1942 Type II & 1961 golden Proofs .
396. 1937 Brilliant Proof, carbon spot near neck.

TYPE HALF DIMES

397. 1795 Flowing Hair, fine but polished.
398. 1797 15 Stars, good obverse although top half faint, very good reverse.
399. 1803 Good to very good (uneven wear), bent, has been cleaned.
400. 1829 Near Uncirculated, cleaned.
401. 1837 NO STARS, TRIPLE CUT DATE, GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOF, scratch in left field and shorter one in right visible when closely examined. RARE.
PLATE
402. 1854 Arrows, virtually Uncirculated, has been cleaned.
403. 1859 Glittering Proof, has been cleaned, hairlines.
404. 1862 Brilliant Wire Edge Proof, small rough spot reverse field.

TYPE DIMES & TWENTY-CENTS

405. 1796 Small Eagle, very fine appearing but close examination reveals "tooling" on center reverse (to remove solder, etc.), cleaned.

PLATE

406. 1798 Large Eagle, good obverse, very good reverse.
407. 1800 Close to Uncirculated but "whizzed" to give it the appearance of being uncirculated, artificial luster, bruise right of eagle's tail.
408. 1821 Large Date, very fine, cleaned.
409. 1836 Virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction, cleaned but now toned.
410. 1837 NO STARS, Prooflike appearance but porosity of surface establishes it as a "business-strike", cleaned giving it an artificial luster to make it resemble a proof. Popular "type".
411. 1855 Arrows, near Uncirculated, "whizzed" to resemble uncirculated.
412. 1873 Arrows, Brilliant Uncirculated, Wire Edge, CHOICE! Popular
413. 1884 Golden Proof, a few carbon flecks.
414. 1892 LIBERY HEAD, BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF, Gem except dimple on cheek.
415. 1938, 1942, 1961 Brilliant to golden Proofs.
416. TWENTY-CENTS 1875 Prooflike, faint rubbing, minute abrasions in field.

TYPE QUARTERS

417. 1796 SMALL EAGLE, good obverse; eagle and most of legend good but due to uneven wear caused by slightly bent planchet small portions of legend and wreath not visible. Popular one year type.

PLATE

418. 1806 Fine but reverse center not fully struck up, Browning 3 variety, cleaned.
419. 1821 Brilliant Uncirculated, cleaned with fine hairlines visible when closely examined. Popular.

PLATE

420. 1834 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, faint rub top hair strands.
421. 1834 No period after 25C, very fine, minute abrasions in field. Cat. 80.00
422. 1849 Virtually Uncirculated, faint friction breasts & knee, also eagle's leg, cleaned and artificial lustrous blue to heighten its luster.
423. 1855 Arrows, Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, has been cleaned.
424. 1864 Brilliant Proof, minute marks in field.
425. 1874 Arrows, Brilliant Proof, minute carbon fleck.
426. 1874 Near Uncirculated, only slight friction, cleaned.
427. 1887 Brilliant Proof, minute marks in field, tiny edge nick.
428. 1893 Isabella, bluish Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, minute edge nick.
429. 1901 Brilliant Proof, pinpoint nick in field.
430. 1917 Type I, Brilliant Unc. FULL HEAD, Gem except pinpoint nicks left field.
431. 1917 Type I, Light golden Uncirculated, tiny spot at date & right field.
432. 1920 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM, about 75% Full Head!
433. 1920 Brilliant Uncirculated, usual struck head, weak "1" in date.
434. 1961 Brilliant Proof; 10¢ 1841-O good.

TYPE HALF DOLLARS

435. 1795 FLOWING HAIR, fine, variety with heavy die break over AME.

PLATE

436. 1797 SMALL EAGLE, obverse good to very good (right side weaker than left); reverse legend good to very good but eagle rather weak, "1" sharp but "2" not visible in fraction. RARE. Acceptable for someone not wishing to acquire a better one costing into the thousands.

PLATE

437. 1806 HERALDIC EAGLE, pointed 6, stem through claw, virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction top of head and on collar. A lovely desirable specimen.
438. 1836 Lettered Edge, virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction.
439. 1838 Reeded edge, Uncirculated golden, weak struck point of bust & some stars.
440. 1838 Extremely Fine. Catalogs 110.00
441. 1855 Arrows, virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction, cut in edge reeding.
442. 1858 Virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction, nick in field.
443. 1861 Brilliant Proof, faint hairlines in field.

TYPE HALF DOLLARS (Cont.)

444. 1874 Arrow, Brilliant Proof, faint hairlines in field.
445. 1883 Brilliant Uncirculated, Prooflike Surface, Wire Edge. Rarer than proof.
446. 1905 Brilliant Proof, minute abrasions in field.
447. 1942, 1961, 1964 Brilliant to golden Proofs.

TYPE SILVER DOLLARS

448. 1795 FLOWING HAIR, 3 leaves under each wing, fine, scratch in right field.
449. 1797 SMALL EAGLE, 9X7 Stars, Large Letters, fine with reverse possibly closer to very fine, 2 tiny edge nicks.
450. 1799 HERALDIC EAGLE, about very fine, reverse sharper than obverse.
451. 1842 Virtually Uncircuated, only slight friction on head & breasts, flat struck feathers left eagle's leg, some prooflike surface, minor abrasions.
452. 1860 Brilliant Proof but flat struck, minute abrasions field & edge.
453. 1880 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! RARE SO CHOICE.
454. 1900 Lafayette, near Uncirculated, polished (artificial luster).
455. 1925 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE!
456. TRADE DOLLAR 1879 Brilliant Proof, choice except for a few faint hairlines.
457. 1879 Bluish Proof with deep patina reverse, some minute abrasions, faint rub.

$1 CALIFORNIA GOLD & 1876-CC $20

458. $1 OCTAGON 1871-G, Liberty, Brilliant Proof, some minute abrasions. Cat. 130.00
459. $20 1876-CC Extremely Fine. Popular.

MISCL. ½¢ THROUGH $10, GOLD, FOREIGN

460. ½¢ 1800 Good, 09 v.g., 28 & 35 fine, 35 very fine.
461. 1¢ 1798 Lg., 1798 small, 1853 good to very good; 1857 eagle fine.
462. 3¢ 1853 Sil., 3¢ 1865 Nic., fine pr.; 5¢ 1883 shld., 13 type I (2) x.f.
463. 5¢ Sil. 1858, 1861 x.f. 1871 A.U.; 10¢ 1833 (2) gd.; 77-CC, 83, 87 fi., 1913 E.F.
464. 25¢ 1834 Extremely fine. Catalogs 150.00
465. 25¢ 1831 Good, 1853 arrows fine, 1858 v.g. 1917 var. I(2) F-V.F. Cat. 53.00
466. 25¢ 1893 Isabella, extremely fine. Catalogs 77.50
467. 50¢ 1810, 1832, 34, 35 Average fine; 1853 arrows(2) good, 58 fair.
468. $1 1798 Large Eagle, only partly legible.
469. $1 1799 Good. Catalogs 125.00
470. $1 1843, 1872 (2) Fine to very fine.
471. $1 1900 LaFayette, extremely fine. Catalogs 190.00
472. $1 1921 Peace, rather sharp strike but cleaned unc., slight planchet pinch.
473. $1 1921 Peace, very fine, usual strike. Catalogs 18.00
474. TRADE $1 1877 v.g., 78-S fine, 78-S v.f. but edge nick.
475. $1 PEACE SET 24, very good to unc. ("commoner" dates). Inspection suggested.
476. "COLONIALS" 1773 Va. halfpenny good; 1787 Mass. cent v.g.; 1794 Talbot-Lee cent v.g.; 1783 Wash. military bust & 1783 Unity States v.g.
477. $10 GOLD 1880 Very Fine.
478. FOREIGN Mexico 1876 8 reales, 1888 5 marks Hesse (Germany) fine pair.
479. Japan 50 sen sil., 10 sen br., 10 tin, 10 alum., 5 alum. F.-X.F.; 1000 yen 1964 Tokyo unc.
480. HAWAII 1847 1¢ Very Fine; 1883 25¢ golden Uncirculated. Catalog 110.00
481. HAWAII 1883 set 10¢, 25¢, 50¢, $1 average very fine. Cat. 162.50

PATTERNS

482. 1¢ 1854 J-160, Liberty, smaller than Lg. 1¢, prooflike blue red, scratch in field, copper. R4. Catalogs 100.00
483. 1¢ 1854 J-161, Similar in bronze, near unc., edge nick, R5. Cat. 100.00
484. 1¢ 1855 J-168, Flying Eagle, bronze, unc., R-5. Catalogs 125.00
485. 1¢ 1855 J-170, Similar in copper-nickel, PROOF, toned, R6. Cat. 110.00
486. 1¢ 1868 J-608, Liberty, "1", nickel, ex. fine, R4.
487. $1 1879 Barber's Metric Dollar, acquired as J-1617 (metric alloy) Proof, toned, R6. Unpriced in Judd.

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488. Duplicate but has been severly cleaned.

489. Another with some abrasions and 2 edge nicks.
490. $1 1879 Goloid Metric Dollar, acquired as J-1626 (goloid alloy) golden Proof, R6. Unpriced in Judd.
491. Duplicate with a few minor abrasions.
492. 5¢ 1883 J-1712, in plastic lettered "1883 METRIC NICKEL" & "33% NICKEL 67% COPPER", nickel, Brilliant Proof, R7. Acquired 11/71 sale @ 215.00
493. 10¢ 1879 J-1588, Morgan design (similar to regular $1) silver, BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN PROOF, WIRE EDGE, R7. RARE TYPE. Acquired 11/71 sale @ 250.00
494. 25¢ 1869 J-734, Liberty, STANDARD SILVER, silver, Brilliant Bluish Wire Edge PROOF, R7. Acquired 11/71 @ 105.00
495. 25¢ 1870 J-900, Liberty, STANDARD, silver, Brilliant Golden Wire Edge PROOF, R6. Acquired 11/71 @ 105.00

Consignment E — Wisconsin

HALVES - DIMES - QUARTERS - NICKELS GEMS

496. HALVES 1941-1947-P-D-S Complete set 20, Brilliant Unc., CHOICE except 43-S, 44-S which while better struck than usual, are not choice.
497. DIMES MERCURY 1916, 29-D, 30-S, 31-P-D-S Brilliant Unc. GEMS!
498. QUARTER 1917-S Type I, Brilliant Unc. FULL HEAD, Gem except pinpoint nick.
499. NICKELS 1913 Type I, Brilliant Unc. GEM; 1913 Type II MATTE PROOF GEM!
500. 1938-71-P-D-S JEFFERSON SET complete in album, Brilliant Unc. Choice!
501. Similar set except "P" mints are PROOFS, 2 1942 Type I (no type II).
502. DIMES 1946-71-P-D-S complete set in album. Brilliant unc. CHOICE!
503. QUARTERS 1932-71-P-D-S complete set in album, Brilliant Unc. CHOICE!
504. 25¢ Set 1932-64-P-D-S missing 32-D, 34-D, 35-D, 36-P-D, 37, 40-P-D; Brilliant golden unc.; 32, 35, 40-S faint rub, in album.
505. 25¢ Set 1941-64-P-D-S complete in album, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE!
506. HALVES 1948-63-P-D-S Franklin set in album, Brilliant unc. CHOICE!
507. Four similar sets in albums, some not quite as choice.

$2½ & $5 GOLD INDIAN SETS, $5 1835 UNC.

508. $2½ GOLD INDIAN SET 15 in plastic, appear uncirculated but close examination reveals friction on several including 1911-D, examination suggested.

509. $5 GOLD INDIAN SET 24 in plastic, appear uncirculated but close examination reveals friction on several including 1908-S, 11-D, 16-S. The 1929 is Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Examination suggested.

510. $5 1835 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Rare thus.
511. $5 1900 Extremely Fine.

$1, $2½,$ 3, $5, $10, $20 GOLD

512. $1 1853 Extremely Fine.
513. $1 1873 Open 3, extremely fine, scratch across obverse.
514. $2½ 1849 Extremely fine, tiny edge nick.
515. $2½ 1878 Extremely fine, nick in field.
516. $2½ 1879-S Extremely fine.
517. $2½ 1912 Brilliant Uncirculated.
518. $2½ 1915 Extremely fine, has been cleaned.
519. $2½ 1927 Uncirculated orange.
520. $3 1855 Very Fine & Sharp. SCARCE.
521. $5 1903-S Uncirculated u,sual bag-marks.
522. $5 1908 Liberty, Brilliant Uncirculated, usual bag-marks.
523. $10 1880-S About very fine.
524. $10 1894 Extremely fine.
525. $10 1898 Extremely fine.
526. $10 1913 Uncirculated, a glass reveals faint rub.
527. $20 1908 No Motto, Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most.
528. $20 1922 Brilliant Uncirculated, only a few bag-marks.

— END OF FIRST SESSION —

SECOND SESSION

Friday Evening, November 2, 1973

7:00 P.M. --- Lots 529-918

$5 DEMAND NOTE OF 1861

529. $5 FI, PAYABLE ON DEMAND at New York. This first issue of paper money was redeemable in Gold, therefore very few have survived. This Very Fine Specimen is one of the finest to come on the market rcently. Friedberg only attempts to valuate this in Very Good, this then is RARE SO CHOICE!
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LEGAL TENDER NOTES

530. $1 F16 1862 Chase, New, bright colors, Worth over Cat.
531. $1 F17 1862 Monogram, Extremely Fine, crisp. Worth about 100.00
532. $1 F18 1869 Washington, New, crisp. Catalogs 135.00
533. $1 F27 1878 Allison-Gilfillan, New, crisp. Catalogs 125.00
534. $1 F28 1880 Scofield-Gilfillan, Brown Seal, New, crisp SUPERB! Worth premium over catalog.
535. $1 F33 1880 Rosecrans-Nebeker, Brown seal, BLUE SERIAL #, new, SUPERB! VERY RARE!
536. $1 F34 1880 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, BLUE #'s, new, CHOICE! Worth over Cat. of 70.00
537. $1 F37 1917 Elliott-Burke, Small red scalloped seal. New, CHOICE! Catalogs 30.00
538. $1 F40 1923 Small red scalloped seal, new except corner crease.
539. $2 F41 1862 Autographed "JAS. GILFILLAN 1877-83. Treas. U.S." New, crisp except tiny tear bottom margin. Cat. 315.00
540. $2 F41a 1862 ABN Co. New, crisp. Tiny nick. Catalogs 335.00
541. $2 F42 1869 New, crisp. Close corner margin. Catalogs 450.00
542. $2 F43 1874 Seal with rays. New, except spindle hole.
543. $2 F44 1875 Allison-New, same type, New, rounded corners. Catalogs 135.00
544. $2 F44 As above with pinhole.
545. $2 F45 As above with "SERIES A", New, but faded seals, spot in oval.
546. $2 F46 As above with "SERIES B" New, except corner crease. Rare.
547. $2 F46 As above, New crisp CHOICE. RARE. Catalogs 475.00
548. $2 F47 1875 Allison-Wyman, New, crisp, Catalogs 135.00
549. $2 F48 1878 Allison-Gilfillan, New, close margin, 2 tiny pinholes. Catalogs 155.00
550. $2 F50 1880 Scofield-Gilfillan, autograph "Jas. Gilfillan 1877-83 Tr. U.S." brown seal. New, crisp SUPERB! Worth over catalog of 85.00
551. $2 F51 1880 Bruce-Gilfillan, New, crisp even borders. Catalogs 85.00
552. $2 F52 1880 Bruce-Wyman, New, crisp CHOICE. Catalogs 85.00
553. $2 F53 1880 Rosecrans-Huston, large red seal, New, crisp. Catalogs 425.00
554. $2 F53 As above, crisp with tear and thin spot at left border.
555. $2 F54 1880 Rosecrans-Huston, brown seal. New, crisp. Scarce. Catalogs 375.00
556. $2 F55 1880 Rosecrans-Nebeker, Small red, seal, near new, rounded corner, faded seal, tiny pinhole bottom.
557. $2 F56 1880 Tillman-Morgan. New, crisp CHOICE! Catalogs 115.00
558. $2 F57 1917 Teehee-Burke, Red #'s, New, crisp CHOICE! Catalogs 40.00
559. $2 F58 1917 Elliott-Burke, New, crisp, close top. Catalogs 40.00
560. $2 F59 1917 Eliott-White, New, crisp, close top. Catalogs 45.00
561. $2 F60 1917 Speelman-White, New, crisp, close margins. Catalogs 40.00
562. $5 F61a 1862 "Series" on obverse, near new, edge creases, brown marks reverse.
563. $5 F62 1862 Second obligation, New, crisp, trimmed a little close. Catalogs 300.00
564. $5 F63 1863 One #, extremely fine, rounded corners. 100.00
565. $5 F64 1869 Beautiful "Technicolor" note. New, crisp SUPERB! Record near 200.00

566. $5 F69 1878 Allison-Gilfillan, New, aged paper. Scarce. Cat. 275.00
567. $5 F72 1880 Bruce-Wyman, large brown seal, New, aged paper. Catalogs 100.00
568. $5 F73 1880 Bruce-Wyman, large red seal. New, crisp. Catalogs 185.00
569. $5 F85 1907 Napier-McClung, Small red seal. New crips. Catalogs 45.00
570. $10 F95a 1863, New, crisp, aged paper. Catalogs 325.00
571. **$10 F96 1869, "Technicolor" note, popular "Jackass" type (eagle looks like head of jackass when note is inverted) New, crisp SUPERB! Worth 450.00**
572. $10 F96 Similar, New crisp! but closer margins.
573. $10 F100 1880 Scofield-Gilfillan, brown seal, Near New, crisp. 100.00
574. $10 F113 1880 Lyons-Roberts, red seal, New, crisp, well-centered. Cat. 140.00
575. $10 F119 1901 Parker-Burke, new, crisp but spots on rev. Catalogs 135.00
576. $10 F122 1901 Speelman-White, New, crisp but trifle close at top. Catalogs 135.00
577. $10 F123 1923 Extremely fine, star number. Scarce.
578. $20 F126 1863 Two serial #'s, near new, close trim cutting into design.
579. $20 F127 1869 New but some discoloration, Counting-marks at right and aged paper.
580. **$20 F129 1878 Small seal, rays. New but rounded corners. Rare. Cat. 500.00**
581. $20 F140 1880 Rosecrans-Nebeker, small red seal, New, crisp. Cat. 225.00
582. $20 F147 1880 Elliott-White, Red serial #'s. New, crisp CHOICE! Cat. 200.00
583. $50 F163 1880 Bruce-Roberts, Extremely Fine. (Pinholes, counting-marks, creases). 300.00

SILVER CERTIFICATES

584. $1 F217 1886 Rosecrans-Hyatt, large red, New, crisp CHOICE! Catalogs 140.00
585. $1 F222 1891 Rosecrans-Nebeker, small red, near new, crisp. 85.00
586. $1 F223 1891 Tillman-Morgan, small red, near new, crisp. 75.00
587. $1 F225 1896 Bruce-Roberts, near new, streaked obv., close margin. 75.00
588. $1 F226 1899 Lyons-Roberts, date above serial #. New, crisp CHOICE! Catalogs 50.00
589. $1 F226a As Above with Date below serial No., Near New ("washed").
590. $1 F226a, F228(2), F229, F230. Average fine. Lot 5 notes.
591. $1 F227 1899 Lyons-Treat, near new, faint crease. 35.00
592. **$1 F231 1899 Napier-Thompson, New, crisp SUPERB! RARE. 600.00**
593. $1 F232, F233, F234, F236 New, crisp, some dirt spots. Catalog 120.00
594. $1 F235 (2), F238 Near New, crisp. Lot 3 notes.
595. $1 F237 1923 Speelman-White, F239 Woods-Tate, New, crisp CHOICE! Cat. 105.00
596. $1 F237 (4), F238 (5) New, crisp, some with close margins. Cat. 270.00
597. $2 F240 1886 Rosecrans-Jordan, New except small corner crease. 150.00
598. $2 F241 1886 Rosecrans-Hyatt, red, near new (rounded corners, aged paper). 150.00
599. $2 F242 1886 As above, Large red seal, New, crisp. Catalogs 200.00
600. $2 F243 1886 Rosecrans-Huston, red seal. New but ripple at corner. 225.00
601. $2 F244 1886 Rosecrans-Huston, brown seal. New, but aged paper. Cat. 235.00
602. $2 F245 1891 Rosecrans-Nebeker, near new, some rust spots. 350.00
603. $2 F246 1891 Tillman-Morgan, Very fine, several creases, "washed" tiny pin-hole. Cat. 225.00
604. $2 F246 As above autographed "D.N. MORGAN TREAS. OF U.S. 1893-1897", Ext. Fine.
605. $2 F247 1896 Tillman-Morgan, near new, crisp.
606. $2 F248 1896 Bruce-Roberts, New, spot at right. Catalogs 400.00
607. $2 F248 Another, New, crisp but counting mark at corner.
608. $2 F248 Another, New, slightly rounded corners.
609. $2 F249 1899 Lyons-Roberts, Cut-sheet 4 separate notes, new but creases at right.
610. $2 F249 Lyons-Roberts, near new; F258 Speelman-White, ext. fine.
611. $2 F-250-251-253-255-256-257-lot 6 new, some "ripples", a few with spots.
612. $5 F282 1923 Lincoln, New, some discoloration.
1906-", New, crisp CHOICE! Worth over Catalog of 60.00
613. **$2 F254 Napier-Thompson, New, crisp but aged paper. In addition, Highly Desirable LOW # H88! VERY RARE! Worth over Catalog of 500.00**
614 $5 F260 1886 Rosecrans-Hyatt, small seal, Very Fine (washed and pressed, aged, dark paper). Cat. 175.00
615. $5 F267 1891 Tillman-Morgan, near new, "washed". 100.00
616. $5 F269 1896 Bruce-Roberts, New, "ripple" in paper, some discoloration.
617. $5 F280 1899 Elliott-White, New, some discoloration, counting mark.

SILVER CERTIFICATES (Cont.)

618. $5 F282 1923 Lincoln, New, some discoloration.
619. $10 F289 1880 Bruce-Wyman, brown seal, New, but corners rounded
620. $10 F296 1886 Rosecrans-Nebeker, brown seal. Near New (creases, spot).
621. $10 F302 1908 Vernon-Treat, blue seal, extremely fine (creases, spot), low #.
622. $10 F302 As above, New crisp. Catalogs 240.00
623. $10 F303 1908 Vernon-McClug, near new.
624. $20 F311 1880 Bruce-Wyman, brown seal, close margins cut into design, several creases, pinhole, repair at bottom.
625. $20 F319 1891 Bruce-Roberts, red seal, ext. fine, creases, "washed".
626. $20 F321 1891 Parker-Burke, blue seal, New, crisp. Catalogs 360.00

TREASURY OR COIN NOTES

627. **$1 F347 1890 Rosecrans-Huston, brown seal, New, crisp CHOICE! Catalogs 400.00**
628. $1 F350 1891 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, New but some discoloration.
629. $1 F351 1891 Tillman-Morgan, New but rounded corners, some discoloration.
630. $1 F352 1891 Bruce-Roberts, New, crisp, CHOICE! Catalogs 125.00
631. $2 F353 1890 Rosecrans-Huston, brown seal, Extremely Fine, 3 creases.
632. $2 F354 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, Brown, New except faint crease & corner discoloration.
633. $2 F355 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, near new (margin cuts corner, ripples paper, rounded corners).
634. $2 F356 1891 Rosecrans-Nebeker, New, except faint crease and spots.
635. **$2 F357 1891 Tillman-Morgan, AUTOGRAPH "G.W. MORGAN"! New, but rounded corners, close margin.**
636. $2 F358 1891 Bruce-Roberts, Near New, crisp.
637. $5 F361 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, Near new, rounded corners.
638. $5 F363 1891 Tillman-Morgan, New, crisp but small rust spot. Cat. 265.00
639. **$10 F368 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, New, crisp CHOICE! Rare thus. Worth over Catalog of 625.00**
640. $10 F369 1891 Rosecrans-Nebeker, New, crisp but some discoloration. Catalogs 350.00
641. $20 F374 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, Extremely Fine, (severe center crease). Seldom offered.

NATIONAL CURRENCY

642. $1 F382 1st Charter, First of LEBANON, IND. (2057). Extremely Fine.
643. $2 F387 1st Charter City of BINGHAMTON, N.Y. (1189) near new, tiny pinhole, severely trimmed all around, cuts into design, scarce.
644. $2 F389 Original series, Moniteau of CALIFORNIA, MO. (1712) Near New (corner creases, aged paper); Scarce.
645. $2 F389 Original series, First of LINCOLN, ILL. (2126) near new (small edge tear at right, some discoloration, pinholes), scarce.
646. $2 F390 Series 1875, Home of MILFORD, MASS. (2275) New, crisp but very close margins (cuts into top & left reverse design), scarce.
647. $2 F391 Series 1875, LACROSSE of WIS. (2344) New, crisp except some discoloration and 2 brown spots, scarce.
648. $2 F391 As above, New, crisp except 2 pinholes, brown spot, margin cuts into top reverse design, scarce.
649. $2 F392 Series 1875, National of North America, BOSTON, MASS. (672), AUTOGRAPH "JAS GILFILLAN 1877-1883 Tres. U.S."! New but cut into left bottom design and blue ink spot in center, some discoloration at ends, scarce.
650. $2 F393 First of NEW BEDFORD, MASS. (261) New, crisp but cut into bottom design; scarce.
651. $5 F397 Original Series, TRADESMENS of City of NEW YORK, N.Y. (905) new but cut very close all around and into design at 2 spots, some discoloration.
652. $10 F416 Series 1875, First of VINCENNES, IND. (1873) Near New, cut very close, 2 pinholes, some discoloration.

653. $20 F435 Series 1875, Citizens of PARKERSBURG, W. V. (2649) Extremely Fine, pres. sig. washed out, some discoloration, cut into bottom reverse design.
654. $5 F471 BROWN BACK, Peoples of WAYNESBORO, PA. (4445) Extremely Fine.
655. $5 F472 Brown back, First Exchange of PLYMOUTH, MICH. (4649) New, crisp.
656. $10 F480 Brown back, Wyoming of TUNKHANNOCK, PA. (835) New but some discoloration.
657. $20 F493 Brown back First of PALMYRA, N.Y. (295) New, several tiny holes, close margin, some discoloration.
658. $5 F537 1882-1908 BACK, First of NEW BLOOMFIELD, PA. (5133) New, crisp but close top (cuts into top rev.) some discoloration.
659. $10 F545 1882-1908 back, National of Kentucky of LOUISVILLE, (5312). Near New, crisp.
660. $20 F555 1882-1908 Back, First of LOS ANGELES, CAL. (2491) near new but cuts into top reverse design, some discoloration and rust spot.
661. $5 F574 FIVE DOLLARS, Peoples of LAWRENCEBURGH, IND. (2612) Extremely Fine (3 severe creases).
662. $20 F581 TWENTY DOLLARS, First of FARMINGTON, IA. (5579) near new, some creases and discoloration.
663. $5 F595 1902 RED SEAL, First of City of NEW YORK, N.Y. (29) New but 3 pinholes.
664. $5 F602 1902 Blue Seal, Nat'l of MCKEESPORT, PA. (4625) New, crisp, close margins, black spot rev.
665. $10 F621 Red Seal, Commercial of PITTSBURGH, PA. (2711) Extremely Fine, aged paper.
666. $10 F624 Blue Seal, Mellon of PITTSBURGH, PA. (6301) New, crisp, some discoloration.
667. $20 F648 Red Seal, Bk. of Commerce of ROCHESTER, N.Y.(8111) New except corner crease.
667A. $20 F650 Blue Seal, Merchants of ALLENTOWN, PA. (6645) Very Fine.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES

668. $1 F713 NEW YORK, E-B Hendricks-Strong, New, crisp CHOICE. Cat. — 35.00
669. $1 F721 RICHMOND, T-B KEESEE-SEAY, Near New, crisp. Scarce. — 50.00
670. $1 F723 ATLANTA, T-B Pike-McCord, Extremely Fine. Scarce.
671. $2 F747 BOSTON, T-B, Bullen-Morss, New, crisp, smudge, rounded corners. cat. — 85.00
672. $2 F747 Another, New, crisp. Cat. — 85.00
673. $2 F748 BOSTON, T-B Willett-Morss, New, crisp, slight paper ripple Cat. — 150.00
674. $2 F749 BOSTON, E-B Willett-Morss, Extremely Fine, "washed".
675. $2 F750 NEW YORK, T-B, Sailer-Strong, New, some discoloration, close top.
676. $2 F751 NEW YORK, T-B Hendricks-Strong, New except light end creases.
677. $2 F752 NEW YORK, E-B Hendricks-Strong, New, crisp except discoloration at corner.
678. $2 F752 As above. New, crisp; spot at corner.
679. $2 F752 Another. Near New.
680. $2 F753 PHILADELPHIA, T-B Hardt-Passmore DESIRABLE # C20000A. New, crisp, smudge, slightly rounded corners. Cat. — 80.00
681. $2 F754 PHILADELPHIA, T-B Dyer-Passmore, AUTOGRAPH, "W. A. DYER" and "E. P. PASSMORE"! New, crisp SUPERB! Worth well in excess of Catalog of ... — 80.00
682. $2 F754 As above no autograph, Extremely Fine.
683. $2 F755 PHILADELPHIA, E-B Dyer-Passmore, Fine. Scarce.
684. $2 F756 PHILADELPHIA, E-B Dyer-Norris, near new.
685. $2 F756 PHILADELPHIA, E-B Dyer-Norris New except some discoloration, Autograph "W. A. DYER" and "GEO. W. NORRIS" Desirable.
686. $2 F757 CLEVELAND, T-B Baxter-Fancher, New crisp. Cat. — 110.00
687. $2 F758 CLEVELAND, T-B Davis-Fancher, New, except corner creases, close top.
688. $2 F758 As Above, lot 2, Very Fine ("washed", aged paper). Cat. — 100.00
689. $2 F759 CLEVELAND, E-B Davis-Fancher, new, crisp SUPERB! Worth over Catalog of — 100.00
690. $2 F759 As Above, AUTOGRAPH "H.G. Davis" and "E. K. Fancher", CHOICE!

691. $2 F760 RICHMOND, T-B. Keesee-Seay DESIRABLE LOW # E20A! New, crisp, bottom trifle low but CHOICE. Scarce. Worth over Cat. of 200.00
692. $2 F760 As above, Fine ("washed"), nick at corner.
693. $2 F761 RICHMOND, E-B Keesee-Seay, appears Extremely Fine but center repair.
694. $2 F761 As Above, Very Fine. .....
695. $2 F762 ATLANTA, T-B Pike-McCord, New, crisp CHOICE. Catalogs 150.00
696. $2 F762 As Above, New, crisp, but rough edges.
697. $2 F764 ATLANTA, E-B Bell-Wellborn, Very Fine, also brown spots. Cat. 90.00
698. $2 F765 CHICAGO, T-B McCloud-McDougal, New, but rounder corners, smudge.
699. $2 F766 CHICAGO, T-B Cramer-McDougal, New, rippled paper, close margin Cat. 90.00
700. $2 F767 CHICAGO, E-B Cramer-McDougal, New except rippled paper, corner crease.
701. $2 F768 ST. LOUIS, T-B Attebery-Wells, Extremely Fine. Scarce. Cat. V.F. $85.00, this worth more.
702. $2 F769 ST. LOUIS, T-B Attebery-Biggs, Extremely Fine, severely creased V.F. 90.00
703. $2 F770 ST. LOUIS, E-B Attebery-Biggs, Very Fine, aged paper, edge tears, Scarce V.F. 125.00
704. $2 F771 ST. LOUIS, E-B White-Biggs, New except corner crease. Scarce.
705. $2 F772 MINNEAPOLIS, T-B Cook-Wold, New, rippled paper. Scarce. Catalogs 220.00
706. $2 F772 As Above, New, trimmed margin, aged paper. Scarce.
707. $2 F773 MINNEAPOLIS, E-B. Cook-Young, Fine. Scarce.
708. $2 F774 KANSAS CITY, T-B Anderson-Miller, New, some paper ripples, nick at top.
709. $2 F774 As Above, Near New.
710. $2 F775 KANSAS CITY, E-B Helm-Miller, Extremely Fine. Scarce.
711. $2 F775 As above, Very Good.
712. $2 F776 DALLAS, T-B Talley-Van Zandt, near new, aged paper. Scarce.
713. $2 F777 DALLAS, E-B Talley-Van Zandt, New, paper ripple, 2 spots rev. Cat. 220.00
714. $2 F778 SAN FRANCISCO, T-B Clerk-Lynch, Extremely Fine.
715. $2 F779 SAN FRANCISCO, E-B Clerk-Calkins, Star # near new (some deterioration of paper).
716 $2 F779 As Above, Extremely Fine, some rust spots. Cat. V.F. 80.00
717. $2 F780 SAN FRANCISCO, E-B Ambrose-Calkins, near new, corner crease.
718. $2 F780 As Above, near new, aged paper, close top.
719. $2 F780 As Above, Very Fine, "washed".
720. $5 F788 ATLANTA, T-B Bell-Wellborn, Extremely Fine, but aged paper. Cat. V.F. 290.00
721. $10 F810 NEW YORK T-B Hendricks-Strong, appears new but aged paper, spindle hole plus several pinholes. Cat. V.F. 265.00

FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES

722. $5 F859c CLEVELAND White-Mellon, Extremely Fine.
723. $5 F859c As Above, lot 2 V.F. and Fine.
724. $10 F898 CHICAGO, RED SEAL, near new, brown spot. Scarce.
725. $10 F931 CHICAGO, White-Mellon, New, crisp, aged paper, catalogs 35.00
726. $20 F959 ST. LOUIS, RED SEAL, New, but 2 wrinkles at right
727. $50 F1046 ATLANTA, Burke-Houston, New, but rippled and aged paper. Cat. 135.00

NATIONAL GOLD BANK NOTES OF CALIFORNIA

728. $5 F1136 1870 First National Gold Bank, SAN FRANCISCO, worn but legible. Cat. fair 200.00
729. $10 F1146 1873 First National Gold Bank of Stockton, worn but legible, pinholes reinforced with stamp hinges. Rare. Catalogs fair 250.00

GOLD CERTIFICATES

730. $10 F1173 1922 Speelman-White, Extremely Fine, some paper deterioration.
731. $20 F1178 1882 Lyons-Roberts Fine, pinholes.
732. $20 F1187 1922 Speelman-White, Near New, paper deterioration.

733. **$50 F1195 1882 Vernon-Treat, New, some paper ripples. Catalog** **700.00**
734. $50 F1200 1922 Speelman-White, New, some paper deterioration.
735. **$100 F1215 1922 Near New, tiny pinhole. Catalogs New** **500.00**

FRACTIONAL CURRENCY

736. 3¢ F1226, F1227 Washington, pair light & dark background, New, crisp. Cat. 65.00
737. 5¢ F1228, F1229 Postage, Perforated Edges, pair ABCo. & not BCo. New, crisp. Cat. 90.00
738. 5¢ F1230, F1231 Postage, pair straight edges ABCo; no ABCo., New, crisp. Cat. 75.00
739. 5¢ F1232-33-34-35 Washington, lot 4, plain & surcharges, new crisp. Cat. 108.50
740. 5¢ F-1236-37-38-39 Clark, lot 4, New, crisp. Cat. 152.50
741. 10¢ F1240-41 Postage, Perf. edges Fine; F-1242-43 straight, near unc., lot 4. 75.00
742. 10¢ F1244-45-46-49, Washington, lot 4 plain & surcharges New; F1247 XF. Cat. 119.50
743. 10¢ F1251 Fine, F1252 V.F.; F1253-54-55-56 New. Lot 6 Cat. 210.00
744. 10¢ F1257-59(2)-61 Liberty, lot 4 New. Catalog 65.00
745. 10¢ F1264-65-66 Meredith, lot 3 New. Catalog 45.00
746. 15¢ F1267 New, F1268 Fine, F1269 V.F., 1271 Fair. Lot 4. 75.00
747. 15¢ F1270 Large brownish seal, Extremely Fine, crisp. Rare. 125.00
748. 25¢ F1279 Postage, New, pinhole; F1280 Perfs trimmed, New; F1281 V.F. but hole; F1282 V.G. 80.00
749. 25¢ F1283-84-85-86-87-89-90 New; F1288 V.F. with pinholes. Cat. 290.00
750. 25c F1291-94-98 Fessenden near new; F1292-96 New; F1295-97 V.F. Lot 7. 247.50
751. **25¢ F1299 "M-2-6-5" Heavy solid bronze ornament design, Near New. RARE! Catalogs V.F. $500; New** **750.00**

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752. 25¢ F1301-02a-03-07 Near new; F1302 New; F1303 V.F. lot 6. 136.00
753. 25¢ F1302A Pink color obverse, New crisp. Catalogs 80.00
754. **25¢ F1305 Large brownish seal, Near New except tear & pinhole. RARE.**
755. 25¢ F1308-09 Walker, near new pr.; 50c F1379 New but pinhole; 50¢ F1380 New; 50c F1381 V.F. 92.50
756. 50¢ F1310-13 Near new; F1311-12 V.F., Postage. Lot 4. 180.00
757. **50¢ F1314 Washington, Extremely Fine. no surcharge. RARE! Catalogs V.F. $425 & new** **600.00**
758. 50c F1315A As above with "63". Rare. New but edge tear. Cat. V.F. $150 & new 300.00
759 50¢ F1316-17--18-21-22-23 V.F. to X.F.; F1320 New but cut into design. Lot 7 240.00
760. 50¢ F1324-27-28 Spinner, red, New. Lot 3 notes. Catalog 140.00
761. **50¢ F1325 Spinner, "a" and "1" obverse. RARE. New, crisp Choice! Cat.** **175.00**
762. 50¢ F1326 Near New; F1329 Extremely Fine. 85.00
763. 50¢ F1331-34-35-37-39-40-41-42 V.F. to XF; F1332-33 Near New. Lot 10. 275.00
764. 50¢ F1343-48-55-57 Justice, V.F. to XF, pinholes, nicks, etc. Lot 4. 325.00
765. 50¢ F1344-50 Justice, near new, aged paper, lot 2. Cat. new 210.00
766. 50¢ F1345-56 Justice, new but margin cuts into design, lot 2. Cat. 125.00
767. 50¢ F1346 Justice, New but aged paper; F1347-49 New but close margin, lot 3. Cats. 142.50
768. 50c F1358-62 Green, New, close margin; F1360 New, aged paper; F1361-63 near unc., lot 5 185.00
769. 50¢ F1359 With "1" and "a" obverse, New, crisp CHOICE. SCARCE. Catalogs 120.00
770. 50¢ F1363-64-69-72 Justice; V.F. lot 4. Catalog 177.50
771. 50¢ F1365 Justice E.F.; F1371 V.F. with pinhole. Scarce 130.00
772. 50¢ F1370 Fiber Paper, New, close margin, smudge. Scarce. Catalogs 120.00
773. 50¢ F1373 "a", Very Fine appearing but brittle, some tears & nicks, left end missing.
774. 50¢ F1374, F1375 Lincoln; F1376 Stanton. Lot 3 New, first close margin. Cat. 125.00
775. 5¢ F1228 V.F.; 10¢ F1255 New; 25¢ F1293(2) New. Lot 4. Cat. 120.00

EARLY PROOF SETS IN PLASTIC — CHOICE

776. 1859 PROOF SET 1¢ Choice, toned; 3¢ not fully struck up, deep blue (we believe it to be a late die state or regular dies, prooflike but not proof); 5¢ toned; 10¢ BRILLIANT GEM; 25¢ Brilliant Choice; 50¢ Brilliant Choice; $1 BRILLIANT GEM!

EARLY PROOF SETS IN PLASTIC — CHOICE (Cont.)

778. 1865 PROOF SET 1¢ toned (possibly cleaned some years ago but difficult to detect now); 2¢ Red Choice; 3¢ silver toned Choice; 3¢ nickel toned Choice; 5¢ iridescent Choice; 10¢ Brilliant Choice (lint-mark in field); 25¢ Brilliant Choicet; 50¢ Brilliant Choice; $1 BRILLIANT GEM!

779. 1866 PROOF SET 1¢ deep Red Choice (tiny spot); 2¢ 1866 Red toned Choice; 3¢ silver Brilliant; 3¢ nickel Brilliant toned Choice; 5¢ silver blue toned; 1866 nickel BRILLIANT IRIDESCENT GEM; 10¢ glittering blue Choice; 25¢ BRILLIANT PROOF CHOICE; 50¢ glittering golden Choice; $1 GLITTERING BLUE GEM!

1867 PROOF SET - INCLUDES 1867 RAYS 5¢ PROOF

780. **1867 PROOF SET** 1¢ Red Choice (tiny spot); 2¢ Red toned Choice; 3¢ silver Brilliant Golden; 3¢ nickel Brilliant; 5¢ silver Brilliant Golden; 5¢ nickel **RAYS Brilliant Golden WIRE EDGE Choice;** 5¢ nickel no rays Brilliant Golden; 10¢ Brilliant Bluish; 25¢ Brilliant; 50¢ Glittering Bluish Golden; $1 Brilliant Golden. **UNUSUALLY CHOICE SET! EXCESSIVELY RARE.**

TWO 1877 PROOF SETS

781. **1877 GEM PROOF SET, ALL BRILLIANT PROOFS EXCEPT 1¢ AND TRADE DOLLAR WHICH ARE IRIDESCENT!** Throw the book away on this one. Regardless of the amount paid for this **"RAREST DATE PROOF SET"**, we believe that price will appear to be a "bargain" in the near future.

782. **1877 GEM PROOF SET, ALL BRILLIANT WITH 1¢ AND 25¢ SLIGHTLY GOLDEN!** We believe (as did the owner) that the set "will earn its interest".

783. **1878 PROOF SET** 1¢ toned, spotted rev.; 3¢ golden, a few carbon flecks; 5¢ BRILLIANT GEM; 10¢ GLITTERING BLUISH CHOICE; 20¢ GLITTERING BLUISH CHOICE; 25¢ GLITTERING GOLDEN GEM; 50¢ GLITTERING IRIDESCENT GEM; $1 8 Feathers BRILLIANT GEM; $1 7 Feathers blue toned; Trade $1 GLITTERING BLUE GEM!

PROOF SET INDIANS IN PLASTIC

784. **1859 THROUGH 1909 SET 75, ALL PROOFS except 1860, 1862, 1864-L, 1869/8, 1908-S, 1909-S.** Brilliant to Red, Golden, Iridescent. The 1860 is Prooflike, 1862 Brilliant Unc. Wire Edge; 1864-L Red toned unc. but weak on bokknot, 1869/8 Red toned; 1908-S & 1909-S Red toned but trifle weak on bowknot.**LOVELY SET SUPERIOR TO MOST SEEN OVER THE YEARS!**

THREE-CENTS SILVER SET IN PLASTIC

785. **1851 THROUGH 1873 SET 24,** 1851 through 1854 Brilliant Uncirculated, 1855 toned virtually unc. (faint rub), 1856 toned Prooflike, 1857 through 1873 Brilliant to bluish golden PROOFS. Setting new records.

SHIELD NICKEL PROOF SET 1865-1883

Includes 1865-66 Transitionals

786. **1865 THROUGH 1883 SET 22 PROOFS, BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN, CHOICE! INCLUDES 1867 RAYS PROOF PLUS 1865 RAYS (type 1866, Transitional J-416, Rarity 7—only 9 or 10 known, cat. $1,000 3 years ago), 1865 NO RAYS (type 1867, Transitional J-418, Rarity 7 — only 6 or 7 known, cat. $1,000 3 years ago), 1866 NO RAYS (type 1867, Transitional J-507, cat. $1,250 3 years ago).** A "Fantastic" Set easily worth into the Five Figures" Certainly exceedingly difficult to duplicate. Regardless of the price paid by the new owner, we cannot help but feel it has great potential for increased value in the not too distant future.

"NORMAL" SHIELD NICKEL PROOF SET 1866-1883

787. **1866 THROUGH 1883 SET 19, BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN PROOFS** except 1867 Rays which is Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck GEM! A lovely set **SUPERIOR TO MOST SEEN OVER THE YEARS.**

LIBERTY HEAD NICKEL PROOF SET 1882-1912

Includes 1882 Transitional

788. **1882 THROUGH 1912-P-D-S SET 34, BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN & IRIDESCENT PROOFS** except 1893 Brilliant Unc. Gem; 1912-D Golden Unc. Gem; 1912-S deeply toned average strike unc.; a few minute carbon flecks. **The 1882 Type 1883 no Cents Transitional (Judd 1690, cat. $2,500 3 years ago) is toned. Superior to most sets seen over the years.** Judging from new records being set in recent months, present "catalog values" are behind the current market.

HALF DIMES PROOF SET 1856-1873

789. **1856 THROUGH 1873 COMPLETE DATE SET** (no transitional '59) **BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN & IRIDESCENT PROOFS. Superior to most sets seen over the years.** Another series now quite popular with new records being set nearly every time offered.

LIBERTY SEATED DIMES PROOF SET 1857-1891

790. **1857 THROUGH 1891 COMPLETE DATE SET 36** (no transitional '59) both 1873, **BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN, BLUISH, IRIDESCENT PROOFS** except 1858 is sharp struck unc. **Superior to most sets seen over the years.** Popular with many new records being set when individual specimens come up for auction.

BARBER DIMES PROOF SET 1892-1915

791. **1892 THROUGH 1915 COMPLETE SET 24, BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN, BLUISH, IRIDESCENT PROOFS. Superior to most sets seen over the years.** Another series currently enjoying great popularity which is being reflected in new records at auction.

LIBERTY SEATED QUARTERS PROOF SET 1856-1891

792. **1856 THROUGH 1891 COMPLETE SET 37, both 1873, BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN BLUISH, IRIDESCENT PROOFS. Superior to most sets seen over the years.** Rather difficult to assemble such a set today as many would qualify as "GEMS". Judging from new records set this year, this desirable set should attract spirited bidding.

BARBER QUARTERS PROOF SET 1892-1915

793. **1892 THROUGHT 1915 COMPLETE SET 24, BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN, BLUISH, IRIDESCENT PROOFS. Superior to most sets seen over the years.** The new records constantly being set when single pieces come up for auction confirm the popularity of this series. The price paid for this set will probably be a "bargain" in the near future, judging from the current strong demand.

794. 1863 TYPE 1866 With Motto "IN GOD WE TRUST", SET 25¢, 50¢, $1; SIMILAR SET 3 DATED 1864; SIMILAR SET 3 DATED 1865. BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN BLUISH PROOFS. The 1865 50¢ appears to have been cleaned some years ago but now has a golden toning. The others are lovely specimens well deserving of the highest accolades of "SUPERB" & "PRISTINE"! Struck in silver, Judd numbers 335, 342, 345; 386, 391, 396; 425, 429, 434.

We are puzzled why the Guidebook lists the other Transitionals such as 1856 eagle 1¢, (Scott also includes 1858 Indian type 1859 & 1859 type 1860), 1859 & 1860 5¢, 1859 10¢, 1866 no motto 25¢, 1866 no motto 50¢, 1866 no motto $1 but omits these important pieces.

The 1866 no motto 25¢(50¢, $1 set, if auctioned today, would probably exceed $100,000.00. Judd lists individual specimens of the 1863-64-65 as Rarity 7 (4 to 12 known) but Scott lists them as "High Rarity 7" (4 to 6 known) with at least one as "RARITY 8, ONLY 3 KNOWN"! It is difficult to know what this remarkable and highly desirable set is "worth" on today's market. Surely this great rarity is deserving of that much abused statement "CHANCE OF A LIFETIME".

795. **Similar set of 9 Transitionals dated 1863-64-65 STRUCK IN COPPER, BRILLIANT TO TONED IRIDESCENT PROOFS.** A lovely set although close inspection with glass reveals a few minute carbon flecks. Judd numbers 336, 343, 346; 387, 392, 397; 426, 430, 435. Judd lists them as Rarity 6 & Rarity 7. **Scott has them Rarity 7 to High Rarity 7 (only 4 to 6 known). EXCESSIVELY RARE SET.**

PATTERNS & TRIAL PIECES

796. 10¢ J-381, 1864 Regular dies, copper, Red PROOF, some toning rev., R7. Cat. 80.00
797. 5¢ J-417, 1865 Type 1866 with Rays, copper, Glittering Red & Blue Wire Edge PROOF, R6. Catalogs 200.00
798. 5¢ J-508, 1866 Type 1867 No Rays, copper, Red Wire Edge PROOF, R6. Cat. 350.00
799. 5¢ J573, 1867 Regular dies no rays, copper, Red toned PROOF, some carbon flecks, R7. Catalogs 165.00
800. 3¢ J-615, 1868 Liberty, Ill., nickel, Brilliant PROOF, R5. Catalogs 100.00
801. 25¢ J-727, 1869 Liberty, STANDARD SILVER, silver, Glittering Blue Wire Edge GEM PROOF! Cost $190 (we note the 1971 A.N.A. Auction specimen brought this identical $190, could this be that coin?).
802. 20¢ J-1397, 1875 "1/5 OF A DOLLAR", copper, Red toned PROOF, a few carbon flecks, R6. Catalogs 250.00
803. 20¢ J-1403, 1875 "20 CENTS", silver, bluish Wire Edge PROOF, R6. Cat. 300.00
804. 20¢ J-1407, 1875 "1/5 OF A DOLLAR", silver, bluish Wire Edge PROOF, CHOICE, R6. Catalogs 300.00
805. 5¢ J-1704, 1883 "PURE NICKEL", nickel, Brilliant PROOF, R7. Cat. 225.00

1871 "INDIAN PRINCESS" SILVER DOLLAR

806. **$1 J-1140, 1871 Lovely Indian Princess design, "STANDARD 1 DOLLAR", silver.** Purchased in 1972 sale described **"BRILLIANT BLUE AND PINK PROOF. AS PERFECT AS THE DAY IT WAS STRUCK! Unpriced in First, Second, Third and Fourth Editions of Dr. Judd book on patterns.** There noted as R-7 but since Dr. Judd evidently could not find any record extending back many years on which to base a price, we are inclined to believe it is actually **R-8 (2 OR 3 STRUCK!).** ONE OF THE MOST POPULAR DESIGNS OF ALL THE PATTERNS OF THE GREATEST RARITY". It brought $2,500 then, over a year ago. The spectacular advance in silver dollar prices since then leads us to expect this rarity to bring somewhat more now.

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SET 1883 EXPERIMENTAL NICKELS

807. **5¢ J-1704, 1708, 1710, 1712 SET 4 STRUCK IN NICKEL,** in plastic lettered **"EXPERIMENTAL PIECES STRUCK AT THE U.S. MINT TO SHOW DIFFERENT MIXTURES OF NICKEL & COPPER. RARITY 7. ONLY 4 TO 12 O FEACH PIECE STRUCK."** The 4 different reverses have **"PURE NICKEL", "75N. 25C.", "50N. 50C.", "33N. 67C.". BRILLIANT GEM PROOFS!** Acquired a year ago at $1,600.00. The strong demand for rare and choice coins since then leads us to expect this interesting set to now bring more.

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONALS — 1ST CHARTERS

Charter numbers in ( )

808. $1 CLEARFIELD, First (768) Original Series, # 1, F380, Very Fine, pinhole with some surface paper removed from right corner.
809. $1 ERIE, Marine (870) F380, Very Fine, brownish paper.
810. $1 PHILADELPHIA, National of Germantown (546) F380, Very Fine, faded seal.
811. $1 PHILADELPHIA, Sixth (352) F380, Very Fine, many brown spots.
812. $5 SALTSBURG, First (2609) Series 1875, F405, Very Fine.

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONALS — 1882 SECOND CHARTERS

813. $5 BROWN BACK, READING National (4887) F472, Fine.
814. $5 BROWN, PITTSBURGH, German (757) F467, Very Good ("washed").
815. $10 BROWN, PHILADELPHIA, Girard (592) F480, Extremely Fine.
816. $20 BROWN, PHILADELPHIA, Quaker City (4050) F498, Fine, cut into top.
817. $5 1882-1908 BACK, PHILADELPHIA, Franklin (5459) F537, Very Fine.
818. $10 1882-1908 WATSONTOWN National (2483) F545, Very Good.
819. $20 1882-1908 NORRISTOWN, Peoples (2581) F555, Fine, severely creased.
820. $20 TWENTY DOLLARS, SCOTTDALE, Broadway (5974) F581, Very Good, sigs. "washed" out.

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONALS 1902 THIRD CHARTERS

821. $5 1902 Red seal, PITTSBURGH, Mellon (6301) F595, New, some paper ripples.
822. $10 1902-1908 COATESVILLE, Chester Valley (575); $10 F613 LOCK HAVEN, First (507) V.G. pr.
823. $10 1902-1908 Back, PHILADELPHIA, National Security (1743) F616, Fine.
824. $5 1902 PHILADELPHIA, Kensington (544) F598, $5 F601 PITTSBURGH, Penna (4222) V.G. pair.
825. $5 PHILADELPHIA, Textile (7522) F598, Near New.
826. $10 AMBLER, First (3220) F624; $10 F626 CLAYSVILLE, Farmers (9307); $10 F624 CLEARFIELD, County (855); $10 F624 DOWNINGTON Nat'l (661); $10 F624 DOYLESTOWN Nat'l (573); $10 F632 PITTSBURGH, First (252); $10 F624 READING, Union (693) good to fine lot 7.
827. $10 Altoona, First (247) F624, New, paper ripples.
828. $10 BROWNSVILLE, Monongahela (648) F624; $10 F631 COCHRANTON, First (4971); $10 F634JOHNSTOWN, Maxham (12098) average fine lot 3.
829. $20 BANGOR, First (2659) F660 good; $20 F652 BRIDGEPORT Nat'l (8329) fine; $20 F657 MEADVILLE, New First (4938) fine; lot 3.
830. $20 COALPORT, First (6887) F650, Near New, close margins.
831. $20 STONEBORO, First (6638) F650, New except paper scrape at left & paper ripple.

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONALS — SMALL SIZE

First type unless otherwise indicated.

832. $5 HAZLETON, First (3893); $5 KINGSTON, First (12921) Fine to Very Fine.
833. $5 PITTSBURGH, Mellon (6301) New; $5 PITTSTON, First (478) X.F., edge tear.
834. $10 DU BOIS, Deposit (5019) New, smudge; $20 HOLLIDAYSBURG, Citizens (6874) New.
835. $10 PHILADELPHIA, Olney (12931); $10 PITTSBURGH, Farmers Deposit, V.G. to fine pair.
836. $5 Type II, READING B. & T. (4887) Near New; UNION CITY Nat'l (14093) New; WEST GROVE B. & T. (2669) Fine.
837. $10 Type II, PHILADELPHIA, Second (213) New, crisp.

SELECTED COMMEMORATIVES — ALL CHOICE UNC.

All with original luster and natural toning—none cleaned!

838. 1893 ISABELLA QUARTER, Brilliant bluish golden unc., Sharp Struck CHOICE! Cat. 165.00
839. $1 1900 Lafayette, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! The choicest specimen to pass through our hands in quite some years! Probably the most difficult of all commemoratives to obtain in "GEM" condition. **PRISTINE!** We have seen ads this year offering a "gem" at from $850 to $1,000.00. How they compare to this, we do not know. Those who have searched for years for a true "GEM" will recoignize its rarity in this remarkable condition. **PLATE**
840. 1936 Albany, Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, CHOICE! Catalogs 110.00
841. 1937 Antietam, Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, CHOICE! Catalogs 185.00
842. 1935 ARKANSAS SET P-D-S, Brilliant to Golden, Unc., ALL CHOICE! Cat. 95.00
843. 1936 ARKANSAS SET, Brilliant slightly Golden Unc., ALL CHOICE! Cat. 95.00
844. 1937 ARKANSAS SET, Brilliant slightly Golden Unc., ALL CHOICE. Cat. 100.00
845. 1938 ARKANSAS SET, Brilliant slightly Golden Unc., ALL CHOICE! Cat. 275.00
846. 1939 ARKANSAS SET, Brilliant slightly Golden Unc., ALL CHOICE! ONLY 2,104 STRUCK! 900.00
847. 1936 Bay Bridge, Brilliant slightly Golden Uncirculated, CHOICE! Catalogs 47.50
848. 1934 Boone, Brilliant slightly Golden Uncirculated. CHOICE! Catalogs 42.50
849. 1935 BOONE SET No 1934, Brilliant slightly Golden Unc., CHOICE! SCARCE. 150.00
850. 1935 BOONE SET With 1934 on Obverse, Brilliant slightly Golden Uncirculated, CHOICE! RAREST ISSUE COMMEMORATIVE SET! 1,000.00
851. 1936 BOONE SET Golden Uncirculated, CHOICE! SCARCE. 150.00
852. 1937 BOONE SET Brilliant slightly Golden Unc., CHOICE! RARE. 400.00
853. 1938 BOONE SET Brilliant Uncirculated GEMS! In plastic holder. ONLY 2,100 STRUCK! 750.00

854. 1936 Bridgeport, Brilliant golden Uncirculated. Catalogs 57.50
855. 1925-S California, Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK CHOICE! Cat. 47.50
856. 1936 CINCINNATI SET, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! RARE! 800.00
857. 1936 Cleveland, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Catalogs 32.50
858. 1936 Cleveland COUNTERSTAMPED with "WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB 1921" around bust & "Cleveland, Ohio" Reverse COUNTERSTAMPED "20TH ANNIVERSARY 1921-1941". Brilliant Golden Uncirculated. Only about a dozen said to be known! Acquired as "THE RAREST COMMEMORATIVE"! Bought 1970 sale at $350; with the advance in values since then it should surely now bring somewhat more.
859. 1936 COLUMBIA SET Uncirculated Brilliant Golden. CHOICE! RARE. 350.00
860. 1892 Columbian Exposition, Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK! Catalogs 19.00
861. 1935 Connecticut, Brilliant slightly Golden Unc. CHOICE! Catalogs 110.00
862. 1936 Delaware, Brilliant slightly Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 80.00
863. 1936 Elgin, Brilliant slightly Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 75.00
864. 1936 Gettysburg, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Cat. 77.50
865. 1922 Grant, Brilliant Unciculated, SHARP STRUCK! Catalogs 57.50
866. 1922 Grant With STAR, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK! RARE! 550.00
867. 1928 HAWAIIAN, BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED CHOICE! THE "KEY" COIN IN THIS SET. CATALOGS 1,000.00
868. 1935 HUDSON, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 500.00
869. 1924 Huguenot Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE. Catalogs 65.00
870. 1946 Iowa, Brilliant Bluish Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 42.50
871. 1925 Lexington, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 40.00
872. 1918 Illinois-Lincoln, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 55.00
873. 1936 Long Island, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 32.50
874. 1936 Lynchburg, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! 80.00
875. 1920 Maine, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK! Catalogs 67.50
876. 1934 Maryland, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 75.00
877. 1921 Missouri, Brilliant & Golden Uncirculated WIRE EDGE, SHARP STRUCK! RARE! 500.00
878. 1921 Missouri With 2*4, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE, SHARP STRUCK! RARE! 550.00
879. 1923 Monroe, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! SCARCE THUS.
880. 1938 New Rochelle, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 145.00
881. 1936 Norfolk, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 115.00
882. 1925 Octagonal Norse, thick planchet, Brilliant Golden Unc. CHOICE!
883. 1925 Octagonal Norse thin, Golden Uncirculated CHOICE!
884. 1925 Octagonal Norse thin, partial "RAILROAD EDGE" ERROR, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated, CHOICE! RARE. 150.00
885. 1926 Oregon, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 40.00
886. 1926-S Oregon. Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 40.00
887. 1928 Oregon, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 65.00
888. 1933 Oregon, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Scarce. 135.00
889. 1934 Oregon, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated. CHOICE! Catalogs 55.00
890. 1936 Oregon, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 55.00
891. 1936-S Oregon, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Scarce. 110.00
892. 1937-D Oregon, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs. 50.00
893. 1938 OREGON SET Brilliant Uncirculated. CHOICE! Catalog 175.00
894. 1939 OREGON SET Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! ONLY 3,004 STRUCK! 450.00
895. 1915 Panama-Pacific, Brilliant Bluish Uncirculated, CHOICE! RARE. 350.00
896. 1920 Pilgrim, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 35.00
897. 1921 Pilgrim, Brilliant & Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 65.00
898. 1936 RHODE ISLAND SET Brilliant, Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalog 115.00
899. 1937 Roanoke, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 67.50
900. 1936 Robinson, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE. Catalogs 55.00
901. 1935 San Diego, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 40.00
902. 1936 San Diego, Brilliant Uncirculated. CHOICE! Catalogs 50.00
903. 1926 Sesquicentennial, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated SHARP STRUCK! Scarce thus. 50.00

904. **1935 Spanish Trail, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! RARE.** 500.00
905. 1925 Stone Mountain, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated. CHOICE! Catalogs 20.00
906. 1934 Texas, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 37.50
907. 1935 TEXAS SET Brilliant Golden Uncirculated. CHOICE! 110.00
908. 1936 TEXAS SET Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! 110.00
909. 1937 TEXAS SET Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! 150.00
910. **1938 TEXAS SET Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! ONLY 3,775 STRUCK!** 350.00
911. **1925 Vancouver, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Rare.** 250.00
912. 1927 Vermont, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 75.00
913. **1946-47-48-49-50-51 B.T. WASHINGTON SETS COMPLETE (18 coins). Brilliant to Golden Uncirculated. Catalog** 375.00
914. **1951-52-53-54 WASHINGTON-CARVER SETS COMPLETE (12 coins). Golden Uncirculated. Catalogs** 242.50
915. 1920 "WILSON DOLLAR", "Commemorate Opening Of The Mint, Manilla, P.I." (Philippines), silver, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Only 2,200 struck! Catalogs HK book 1963 at 275.00
916. 1920 "WILSON DOLLAR" in copper, Red & bluish Uncirculated. Only 3,700 struck. Catalogs in 1963 at 175.00
917. 1936 Wisconsin, Brilliant Golden Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 65.00
918. 1936 York, Brilliant Uncirculated CHOICE! Catalogs 65.00

END OF SECOND SESSION

THIRD SESSION
Saturday, Afternoon, November 3, 1973
1:00 P.M. --- Lots 919-1411

LEGALS

919. $1 F16 New, crisp CHOICE in spite of faint paper ripple. Cat. 125.00
920. $1 F18 1869 Washington, "Technicolor" note, New, crisp, SUPERB!
921. $1 F37 1917 Elliott-Burke, New but center fold (not creased).
922. $1 F37 As Above, New, crisp. SUPERB!
923. $1 F39 1917 Speelman-White, New, crisp. Catalogs 30.00
924. $2 F41 1862 NBN, New, crisp, margin close left, paper ripple. SCARCE. Cat. 315.00
925. $2 F60 1917 Speelman-White, New, crisp, CHOICE, lot 2 notes. Catalog 80.00
926. $5 F63 1863 One serial number, New, crisp, margin close at top. Catalogs 200.00
927. $5 F64 1869 "Technicolor" note. New, crisp except tiny corner crease, slight paper ripple.
928. $5 F84 1907 Vernon-McClung; F85 Napier-McClung. New, crisp CHOICE, pair. Cat. 90.00
929. $5 F91 1907 Speelman-White, New, crisp, margin close at top. Cat. 40.00
930. $5 F91 As above, Extremely Fine.
931. $10 F95a 1863 Two Serial Nos., New, crisp except faint corner crease.
932. $10 F96 1869 "Technicolor" note, popular "Jackass" type. New, crisp, brown spot at bottom. Cat. 300.00
933. $10 F121 1901 Elliott-White, "Bison Note", New, crisp, popular.
934. $10 F122 1901 Speelman-White, New, crisp SUPERB!
935. $20 F126 1863 Two serial No's., New, crisp except small corner crease. SCARCE.

SILVER CERTIFICATES

936. $1 F215 1886 Rosecrans-Jordan, New, crisp, SUPERB! Worth over catalog of 140.00
937. $1 F224 1896 Tillman-Morgan, popular "Educational Series". New, crisp, CHOICE.
938. $1 F224 As Above, Extremely Fine.
939. $1 F224 As Above, Fine.
940. $1 F228 1899 New, crisp SUPERB!
941. $1 F228-233-236 New, crisp, lot 3 notes. Catalog 92.50
942. $1 F236 1899 Speelman-White; F237 1923 Speelman-White, near new, crisp.
943. $1 F237 1923 Speelman-White, New, crisp CHOICE.
944. $1 F237 (2); F238 Woods-White, New, crisp lot 3 notes. Cat. 90.00

SILVER CERTIFICATES (Cont.)

945. $1 F238 Woods-White, New, crisp, Catalogs 30.00
946. $2 F245 1891 Rosecrans-Nebeker, Very Good; F246 Tillman-Morgan, good.
947. $2 F248 1896 Bruce-Roberts, popular "EDUCATIONAL SERIES". New, crisp SUPERB!
948. $2 F248 As Above, New crisp CHOICE!
949. $2 F253 1899 Napier-McClung, Near new, crisp.
950. $2 F256-258 Parker-Burke, Speelman-White, New, crisp pair. Catalog 120.00
951. $5 F260 1886 Rosecrans-Hyatt, small red seal, near new, crisp. Scarce.
952. $5 F270 1896 Lyons-Roberts, Extremely Fine (creased horizontally & vertically).
953. $5 F275 1899 Napier-McClung, New, crisp. Catalogs 125.00
954. $5 F282 1923 Lincoln, new but smudge at right & rippled paper. 1923 pair extremely fine and very good.
955. $1 F351 COIN NOTE 1891 Tillman-Morgan, Near New.

1902 NATIONAL CURRENCY, BLUE SEALS

956. $5 F598 CHARLESTON National, W.V. (3236), New, top margin cuts design.
957. $5 F599 Whitney-Central of NEW ORLEANS, LA. (3069), New, crisp.
958. $5 F606 WEBSTER National, MASS. ((11236) New but center fold (not creased).
959. $5 F608 Old Town of BALTIMORE, MD. (5984) New, crisp.
960. $10 F624 Otoe County of NEBRASKA CITY, NEB. (1417) New with corner crease & extra paper tab.
961. $10 F633 Marine of MILWAUKEE, WIS. (5458) New but rippled paper.
962. $20 F650 Otoe County of NEBRASKA CITY, NEB. (1417) New, crisp CHOICE.

FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES

963. $1 F718 CLEVELAND, T-B Baxter-Fancher, New, crisp CHOICE. Cat. 35.00
964. $1 F727 CHICAGO, T-B McCloud-McDougal, New, crisp CHOICE. Cat. 37.50
965. $2 F765 CHICAGO, T-B McCloud-McDougal, New, crisp CHOICE, Cat. 80.00

FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES

966. $5 F832 BOSTON, Red seal, Extremely Fine (2 creases, smudge).
967. $5 F846 BOSTON, Burke-Houston, Near New; F851c NEW YORK, Extremely Fine.
968. $10 F907 BOSTON; F911 NEW YORK; F919 CLEVELAND, White-Mellon, New, crisp. Cat. 105.00
969. $20 F967 BOSTON; F991 CHICAGO, White-Mellon, near new pair.
970. $20 F1011B SAN FRANCISCO, White-Mellon, New, crisp, CHOICE.

GOLD CERTIFICATES

971. $10 F1173 1922 Speelman-White, Fine; $20 F1187 1922 Very Fine.
972. $20 F1178 1882 Lyons-Roberts, near New. Scarce.
973. $20 F1178 1882 Lyons-Roberts, New, crisp but pinhole at right.

FRACTIONAL CURRENCY

974. 3¢ F1226-27; 5¢ F1230-38-42-57-64-66 Near new to new, most cut close, pinhole, etc.
975. 10¢ F1255(2); 15¢ F1267 pinholes; 15¢ F1268 all new lot 4. Cat. 120.00
976. 15¢ F1267-79-1302-45-75 Lot 5 New, crisp but close margins. Cat. 215.00
977. 25c F1294-1308; 50¢ F1379 New, crisp lot 3. Catalog 68.50
978. 50¢ F1312-24-76-81, Extremely Fine lot 4.

1795 "CONDITION-CENSUS"? HALF CENT

979. 1795 Plain Edge, no Pole, only barest traces of friction, faint hairline at left, struck slightly off-center with broad full dentilation at right 2/3rds narrowing to practically no dentilation at left, minute nick on edge evident only when held on edge, even bluish brown color. A candidate for "Condition-Census". RARE SO CHOICE!

980. 1796 WITH POLE TO CAP, acquired from a 1963 sale described "1796 G-1, POLE TO CAP, MAGNIFICENT SHARPLY STRUCK PROOF SURFACE GEM! RED BLENDED TO GOLDEN BROWN COLOR. MORE SHARPLY STRUCK AND BETTER CENTERED THAN THE BROBSTON SPECIMEN AT $9,750.00. THIS IS THE FABULOUS NEWCOMBER SPECIMEN. WHAT A PEDIGREE AND WHAT CONDITION. (15,000.00)"

ONE OF THE OUTSTANDING CLASSICS OF THE ENTIRE U.S. COINAGE

Each series seems to have an outstanding coin. In the half cents, it is 1796; in nickels, it is 1913; in dimes, it is 1894-S; in twenty-cents, it is 1876-CC; in quarters, it is 1827; in halves, it is 1838-O; in dollars, it is 1804; The nickel and dollar would today bring well over $100,000 each; the dime, twenty-cents, quarter and half dollar today would bring about $50,000 each — some probably more and some perhaps a little less. It will be interesting to see where this "MOST WANTED DATE HALF CENT" fits into the above ratio of values. Interested bidders should keep in mind that IT HAS BEEN A DECADE SINCE THIS FANTASTIC SPECIMEN HAS COME UPON THE MARKET.

PLATE

1797 LETTERED EDGE HALF CENT

981. **1797 LETTERED EDGE,** struck on a planchet cut-down from a 1796 Cent with "6" quite sharp at edge before Liberty's face and milling marks of cent in arc from edge extending across center; milling and part of inscription also evident on reverse. Obverse Fine with some portions closer to Very Fine; reverse Fine To Very Fine except legend at right weak in portions. **Rather comparable to the Brobston specimen which was struck on a planchet cutdown from a 1798 cent.** However, **MORE OF THE LETTERING SHOWS on this specimen.** Without die break at chin described in the Brobston coin. **VERY RARE.** The Brobston coin (sold by Stack's Jan. 1963) was $1,250; it will be interesting to see what this rarity now brings, a decade later.

1802 "CONDITION-CENSUS" HALF CENT

982. 1802 Over 1800, new rev., **Rare Early Die State with HALF CENT quite Sharp!** About Extremely Fine with roughness of surface which seems typical of those we have handled in our Forty Years as Professional Numismatists. Comparable in sharpness to the Brobston coin and therefore "CONDITION-CENSUS". From a 1968 sale at $880; surely this choice specimen, five years later, will now bring "Well Into Four Figures".

1808 OVER 7 "CONDITION-CENSUS" HALF CENT

983. 1808 OVER 7, Very close to Uncirculated with only slight friction, faint line resembling a die break, minute porous spot in planchet, some porosity also on reverse. **FAR SUPERIOR TO THE VERY FINE BROBSTON COIN!** Therefore, **"CONDITION-CENSUS"! Cost $775 in 1972 sale;** now easily worth in "Four Figures".

PLATE

1837 "CONDITION-CENSUS"? HALF CENT TOKEN

984. 1837 Half Cent token, from a 1958 sale described **"PROOFLIKE GEM blue and brown. The choicest specimen we have seen. The Guidebook has finally recognized the true rarity of this in the top grades by not pricing it above very fine."** It brought $385 then; 5 years ago. We would not be surprised to see it now realize closer to "Four Figures".

PLATE

1847 FIRST RESTRIKE HALF CENT PROOF EXCESSIVELY RARE

985. 1847 From a 1968 sale described **"1847 FIRST RESTRIKE, REVERSE OF 1856, obverse BRIGHT RED, reverse BRIGHT RED AND BLUE. CHOICE PROOF! EXCESSIVELY RARE. NOT IN THE CELEBRATED BROBSTON COLLECTION (the most complete half cent collection ever assembled). The Brobston collection did contain the 1845 first restrike (2 known) which sold at $1,450.00 (Stack's Jan. 1963)." It brought $2,150.00 then, 5 years ago.**

In trying to arrive at a current ratio of values, we note th e1836 Original proof half cent of Brobston sold for $600 (Stack's Jan. 1963); the Bowers & Ruddy Rare Coin Review No. 18 (Aug. 1973) has a specimen described as "one of just two specimens we have had during the past ten years. Fewer than two dozen specimens are known to exist. First telephone call gets it for $1,975.00." Surely then, this EXCESSIVELY RARE 1847 should bring "Over Mid Four Figures to Five Figures". Among the RAREST OF ALL U.S. COINAGE!

986. **1856 GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUISH PROOF!** Struck in **COPPER-NICKEL** from regular dies to test quality and appearance of metal before striking 1856 Flying Eagle Cents.

An **EXPERIMENTAL PIECE** listed in Judd's pattern book (J-177). **THE CHOICEST SPECIMEN TO PASS THROUGH OUR HANDS IN FORTY YEARS AS PROFESSIONAL NUMISMATISTS!** Only a minute carbon fleck and a slight weakness in the striking of a leaf can be found to detract from its beauty — if one were "supercritical". All other specimens we have seen or handled over the years have had several leaves, as well as other features weak struck in varying degrees (caused by difficulty in striking of hardness of nickel content coins). In strong demand as **1. "ONLY OBTAINABLE HALF CENT PATTERN"**; 2. By **HALF CENT COLLECTORS.** 3. By **PROOF COLLECTORS.** 4. By **HISTORICAL & EXPERIMENTAL COLLECTORS.**

Bowers & Ruddy Galleries had a specimen in their Rare Coin Review No. 15 of Aug. 1972 described as the Brobston coin **"practically unobtainable — and anyone building a type set of patterns usually has to wait many years before finding an opportunity to acquire a pattern of this denomination. Perhaps the rarity of this piece can be best pointed out by saying that this is the first we've offered since the Lohr Collection in 1961! The cost of this piece? We paid nearly triple the current Judd valuation, in case you're interested. Our selling price? Not cheap, but well worth it in our opinion. The specialist will agree, we are sure $1,250.00."**

The photo of the Brobston coin reveals the typical weakness in striking (leaves, etc.) **We believe the specimen herein offered is a SUPERIOR STRIKE!** The marked rise in values for rarities during the past year leads us to believe this highly desirable piece will bring well over $3,000; perhaps closer to 4,000.00

1793 UNLISTED PLAIN EDGE CENT

987. 1793 From a 1971 sale described **"1793 S-6, Wreath but UNLISTED PLAIN EDGE! Lot 1400 of the 1961 A.N.A. auction as "Extremely Fine and most certainly guaranteed genuine. BELIEVED TO BE UNIQUE! EXTREMELY RARE ($2,500.00)." An attractive specimen with smooth surface and even brown color. The record shows that it sold at $2,000.00 at that 1961 sale."** This unique cent brought $6,600.00 2½ years ago at the 1971 sale. The rapid rise in values since then for the rarities should now send this **UNIQUE** specimen to substantially above $10,000; perhaps closer to 15,000.00

1797 PROOFLIKE GEM CENT

988. 1797 Acquired almost 3 years ago from a sale described **"1797 S-123, DRAPED BUST, PROOFLIKE GEM, ORIGINAL "MINT RED" AND TAN COLOR. Originally bought as a "PROOF". It is sharper than the normal struck large cents. This variety is identified by the small die break under the eye."** It brought $2,550.00.

THIS NEEDLE-SHARP BEAUTY MUST BE SEEN TO BE BELIEVED! No wonder it was sold some years ago as a Proof.**WE CANNOT CONCEIVE OF A CHOICER SPECIMEN FOR A "TYPE", DATE, OR VARIETY!** A "fantastic" specimen easily now worth over $5,000; perhaps closer to 7,500.00

1811 "MINT STATE" UNCIRCULATED CENT

989. 1811 S-287, Perfect Date, **UNCIRCULATED WITH EVERY HAIR STRAND SHARP; ALL RIGHT STARS ARE FULL, SHARP STRUCK;** the left stars are not fully struck up (typical of this die). Lovely lustrous light brown shading to tan with splashes of **OIGINAL MINT RED** still visible. We cannot find a record of cataloging an equal specimen in all our 300 sales extending back to the 1930's!

1824 OVER 22, UNCIRCULATED CENT

990. **1824 OVER 22, UNCIRCULATED LUSTROUS CHOCOLATE WITH LIGHTER BROWN SHOWING THROUGH.** The rarity of this date in uncirculated has been known to Large Cent specialists and finally became known to date collectors when the Masters specimen was auctioned by Rarcoa in May, 1971. It realized $3,400.00. It will be interesting to see what a rarity like this will now bring in the present strong market.

1839 OVER 36, CHOICE CENT

991. 1839 OVER 36, Rare STATE II with Die Break Nose To Edge. **Nice Sharp Very Fine.** VERY RARE, PARTICULARLY SO CHOICE! From a 1971 sale at $380; now easily worth over 500.00

"CONDITION CENSUS" 1840-41-42-43-44 CENTS

"Red" means **ORIGINAL MINT RED** and is not to be confused with "processed" red. Guidebook values for "unc." are meaningless for these exceptional specimens.

992. 1840 N-2, Small date, Prooflike with needle-sharp strike, immaculate surfaces, lovely reddish brown color with only two small carbon spots on reverse to detract from its perfection.
993. **1840 N-5, Large Date, UNCIRCULATED MINT RED & CHOCOLATE, "FINEST KNOWN" of the latest die state seen!**
994. 1840 N-6, Large Date, UNCIRCULATED Lustrous chocolate with traces of original mint red, all stars Fully Struck Up, peculiar markings on rim over stars 4-5 & 7-8-9 somewhat similar to 1793 vine & bars device.
995. 1840 N-8, Large Date, lovely blended UNCIRCULATED MINT RED SHADING TO STEEL-BLUE. Sharp Strike with Full Stars!
996. 1841 N-2, Early obverse die state, UNCIRCULATED REDDISH BROWN, Sharp Struck.
997. 1841 N-2, Later die state, UNCIRCULATED MINT RED SHADING TO BROWN.
998. **1841 N-3, LUSTROUS UNCIRCULATED, chocolate obverse, lovely blended Mint Red and brown reverse; Ex Sheldon, Hines as "FINEST KNOWN"!**
999. **1841 N-7, UNCIRCULATED reddish brown; acquired as "FINEST KNOWN, rare variety.**
1000. **1842 N-2, Small date, UNCIRCULATED lustrous brown with traces of red, Sharp Struck, acquired as "THIRD FINEST KNOWN, MS-65".**
1001. 1842 N-6, Large Date, UNCIRCULATED SUBDUED RED, SHARP STRUCK!
1002. 1842 N-8, Large Date, UNCIRCULATED SUBDUED RED, SHARP STRUCK!
1003. **1842 N-9, Large Date, UNCIRCULATED, LOVELY BLENDED RED & BROWN, SHARP STRUCK, rare variety!**
1004. 1843 N-2, Type 1842, UNCIRCULATED RED with some brown toning, overlapping rim break over UN, Sharp Struck.

1005. 1843 N-3, Type 1842, UNCIRCULATED chocolate, Sharp Struck.

1006. 1843 N-4, OBVERSE 1842, REVERSE 1844, FULL MINT RED UNCIRCULATED! THE ONLY ONE SEEN THUS AND "FINEST KNOWN"! A "Fantastic" specimen which we believe will bring well into the four figures.

1007. 1843 N-6, Type 1844, very early Die State, UNCIRCULATED LUSTROUS RED & CHOCOLATE, Sharp Struck!
1008. 1843 N-8, Type 1842, UNCIRCULATED LUSTROUS RED & CHOCOLATE, Sharp Struck!
1009. **1843 N-10, Type 1842, UNCIRCULATED LUSTROUS RED & BROWN, Sharp Struck. Very Rare variety acquired as "FINEST KNOWN"! Ex Merkin 10/72 Sale.**
1010. 1843 N-11, Type 1842, UNCIRCULATED RED WITH SLIGHT BROWN TONING, Sharp Struck!
1011. 1844 N-3, UNCIRCULATED, LOVELY BLENDED RED & BROWN, raised edge both sides.

1848 SMALL DATE CENT — ONLY 5 KNOWN

1012. **1848 SMALL (tiny) DATE,** from a sale almost a year ago described "**good to very good (rough surface). ONLY FOUR KNOWN TO NEWCOMB! An additional specimen turned up in the 1952 A.N.A. sale. All the known specimens are poor to very good.**" This is a definite "type", somewhat different than the others of this date. Cost $555 at the above sale.

1855 "12'STARS" MINT RED UNC. CENT

1013. 1855 "12 STARS" listed in Scott as a separate **MAJOR VARIETY "Filled obv. die state (R7) of N. 10." MINT RED UNCIRCULATED BLENDING INTO A LOVELY BLUISH TAN, SHARP STRUCK WITH RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES!** Valued in Scott at well over 4 times the price of a "common" date cent. Since "common" dates, in this state of preservation now bring over $300 (August), then this rarity should bring well over $1,200.00. If "common" dates bring $350 by the time of this sale, then this beauty should bring well over 1,400.00

In the Coin World just received (as we go to press), we note Gem "common" dates advertised at $350; who knows how much this rare Major Variety will bring by the time of the sale — new records and prices seem to be changing from week to week.

PLATE

EXTREMELY RARE 1855 PROOF 3¢ SILVER

1014. **1855 BRILLIANT PROOF WITH SOME LIGHT GOLDEN TONING ON REVERSE, SHARP STRUCK WIRE EDGE GEM!** Comparison with the description and photo of the Miles coin (April 1969 Stack's auction) leads us to believe it is that specimen. It sold there, 4½ years ago, at $1,400.00.

The strong demand for early proofs, particularly in "GEM" condition, have resulted in many new records constantly being set (when the rarities come upon the market). It is especially sought after as the **"FIRST YEAR COLLECTIBLE PROOF LISTED IN THE GUIDEBOOK". Its great rarity is too well known to elaborate.**

The tremendous increase in demand for "type" coins during the intervening 4½ years since the Miles sale has raised the Guidebook value for the **"commonest Type II silver 3¢ close to 500% for unc.** We note the wholesale price (Coin Dealer Newsletter) is $425 for Type II 3¢ unc. (the price a dealer would have to pay another dealer — if it were available). In addition, it states "SUPERB SPECIMENS BRING PROPORTIONATELY MORE THAN THE PRICES LISTED BELOW". While it lists the 3¢ Silver Type III in Proof, IT DOES NOT LIST THE 3¢ TYPE II PROOF (too seldom available). About 80 Proof 1858 3¢ are said to have been struck — the "commonest" Proof Type II (the 1856-57 proofs are Very Rare). A gem proof 1858 3¢ would certainly be worth over $1,000 today.

Consider all the factors in arriving at what this Great Rarity is "worth".

1. **"GEM" PROOF of the first "Collectible Date Proof".**
2. **Extremely Rare. Not in the recent "Name Sales".**
3. **In demand by 3¢ collectors and Proof collectors.**
4. **In especially strong demand as "TYPE II PROOF 3¢".**
5. **A star item in demand by "Investment" buyers for the above 4 reasons.**

We confidently expect this outstanding rarity to bring well into the "Mid Four Figures". **Regardless of the price paid, the continuing strong demand should make that price a "bargain" in the near future.** Yes, here is a rarity for which we unhesitatingly predict a "Brilliant" future.

As we go to press, we note an ad on page 10 of Coin World (just received) by a leading Eastern dealer offering a Gem Unc. 1858 3¢ at $750; need we say more about the "Brilliant" future of this remarkable 1855 Proof?

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1794 V-1, UNCIRCULATED HALF DIME "FINEST" OF SIX KNOWN SPECIMENS

1015. 1794 V-1, WIDE DATE; double leaf top right branch. Breen in his "U.S. HALF DIMES" (Coin Collectors Journal 1958) states **"This variety is Very Rare. It is reported to exist in Mint State (could this be that specimen?) but I have not seen it. Newlin knew only six. Probably R-7, Sheldon scale."**

GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUE UNCIRCULATED! As stated above, this probably is THE FINEST OF THE ONLY SIX KNOWN!

The remarkable Hawn half dime collection sold by Stack's Aug., 1973 (one of the choicest collections assembled) did not contain a 1794 (we tried to locate a choice uncirculated specimen for him the past year or so but were unsuccessful). The Gilhousen col. (Superior 10/1/73) contains the less rare V-2 & V-4 1794 varieties (V.F. & A.U.) but not this Excessively Rare V-1. We have searched other recent Name Sales but cannot locate an uncirculated specimen offered recently enough to have bearing on the current market value.

We did have an uncirculated specimen ("commoner" variety) two years ago in our Nov. 1971 sale which realized $2,450.00. We believe that coin, if offered here now, would bring closer to double (about $5,000.00). Surely this EXCESSIVELY RARE variety worth twice as much as the "common" variety.

1795 V-3, BREEN 4-B HALF DIME "ABOUT FOUR" KNOWN

1016. 1795 Attributed by Breen as **"VALENTINE 3, BREEN 4-B, HIGH R-7 ABT. 4 KNOWN". SHARP STRUCK WITH EVEN SOME OF THE FEATHERS OF EAGLE'S BREAST VISIBLE! The edge denticles of Both Sides are SHARP & DISTINCT!** The right stars are all full and come to a point, except for the four encompassed by the die break (even these are 80% full!) The left stars are about 90% full (just miss having the sharp center point). The other features of Liberty and eagle are rather sharp and full. We are not certain whether the hair not being quite full is due to striking or faint "cabinet friction". Therefore we are not sure whether we should describe it as "Virtually Uncirculated, only barest rubbing" or "Uncirculated".

Whether it is a condition "55" or "60" coin, it is **ONE OF THE SHARPEST STRUCK 1795 HALF DIMES WE HAVE SEEN, REGARDLESS OF VARIETLY!** Those who have searched for years for a sharply struck 1795 will understand the difficulty of finding such a specimen, without any consideration being given to variety. Even Hawn, in spite of his years of searching, had an "unevenly struck which accounts for lack of detail here and there. Some light nicks on the edge."

Surely this must be **"THE FINEST OF THE 4 KNOWN"**. As a date, regardless of variety, its sharpness of strike and attractive appearance would send it to the neighborhood or about $1,500; but as an **EXCESSIVELY RARE variety with ONLY 4 KNOWN**, it is worth double or about $3,000.00. If, as we strongly surmise, IT IS THE "FINEST KNOWN", then Dr. Sheldon's formula would give it a value of 5,000.00

1795 UNIQUE NEW VARIETY HALF DIME UNCIRCULATED

1017. 1795 Obverse V-7, Reverse V-2 "Authenticated with Walter Breen who states that it is the only example of this variety that he has encountered". "Discovery piece of new die combination unlisted in Valentine". UNCIRCULATED SHARP STRUCK WITH STARS 90% TO 100% FULL! Some interesting clashed die marks visible when closely examined. A strand of hair back of ear not fully struck up (ear sharp and full); the breast feathers of eagle visible. A few faint "mint equalization marks" visible on reverse when closely examined (done at mint to bring coin down to proper weight and save cost of melting and recoining). GLITTERING GOLDEN SHARP STRUCK UNCIRCULATED! A remarkable specimen of a UNIQUE VARIETY.

1796 "LIKERTY" HALF DIME PROOFLIKE — FINEST KNOWN?

1018. **1796 LIKERTY, GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUISH PROOFLIKE, WIRE EDGE GEM! A "FANTASTIC" NEEDLE SHARP STRIKE!** Interesting tiny die break at edge. **Neither the Guidebook nor Scott Catalogue lists this this in better than very fine.** Scott does state **"Extremely rare in full unc.".** Hawn didn't have a specimen (he couldn't find one choice enough). We cannot find a record of an equal specimen in modern years. Suffice to say, those who have been searching for "GEM" as a "Type", Date or Variety will understand what we believe to be literally **"A CHANCE OF A LIFETIME".**

It is useless to try and evaluate what this **"IN A CLASS BY ITSELF"** beauty might bring. Perhaps the notation on the envelope of "7/62 $4,000.00" might be of some interest. One of our friends, who recently visited us and saw the piece, offered to buy it outright for $10,000.00. We contacted the owner who answered "No, I won't sell it outright for $10,000.00. I consigned it for auction with the expectation that it will bring more." I twill be interesting to see if he was overly optimistic or whether his expectations will be realized.

1800 LIBEKTY HALF DIME

1019. **1800 LIBEKTY, virtually Uncirculated, only barest trace rubbing visible when examined with glass, lovely golden patina, (acquired as "Uncirculated"). RARE Early Die State Much Sharper Struck than Hawn coin** which had a rather sizable area on reverse flatly struck (due to die failure). This specimen has only a tiny portion where the die began to fail. Lovely attractive specimen for "type" or date. Probably now bring close to the $2,100 realized for the Hawn coin.

1801 V-2 UNCIRCULATED HALF DIME

1020. 1801 V-2, Rare early die date without die crack through IBERT and light break forehead through T to edge; beginning die failure at bust point and extending to only 2 segments of edge milling (most seen over the years come with heavy break, only moderate amount of edge milling missing on reverse.

LOVELY GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUE UNCIRCULATED. While it is the **sharpest struck specimen we can recall seeing,** it is softly struck (due to die failure) compared to some other dates. Breen states **"Probably the most difficult date in the series, and certainly the most underrated."** We agree! Breen further states **"Formerly considered much rarer than V-1 ("Very rare, nearly R-6, possibly within that level") but a number of specimens from Poor (the average condition) to Good have turned up, R-5. ONLY TWO SEEN ABOVE VF, the best being the so-called "DuPont" and Eliasberg coins."**

Scott states **"Unknown in unc., extremely rare in E.F."** We believe this to be **"THE FINEST KNOWN"!** Scott lists the 1801 as **THE SECOND RAREST DATE 1794 THROUGH 1805!** The corrected mintage is listed as 9,950 compared to 3,060 for 1802! This ratio of about 3 to 1 seems to agree with the frequency of appearance of these two dates over the years.

In trying to arrive at a value for this remarkable specimen, the following might be of interest: The Hawn 1802 Extremely Fine coin was awarded to a dealer at $14,000.00. The Hawn 1805 Uncirculated with "usual weakness of strike at the right border and edge of bust, and correspondingly on the reverse at the eagle's wing" brought $4,500.00. We believe this 1801 is as rare as that 1805. With the constantly increasing values being established by new records, this 1801 could now exceed 5,000.00

1803 V-2 UNCIRCULATED HALF DIME "FINEST KNOWN"?

1021. **1803 V-2, Large 8, REVERSE OF 1805, GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUE UNCIRCULATED GEM! Scott states "EXCESSIVELY RARE IN UNC." and does not value it above V.F.** Acquired in 1962 at $2,500.00. Breen states "Eliasberg has an unc. example with triple profile." Without comparing this remarkable specimen with Eliasberg's, we hesitate accepting the claim of this being the "Finest Known". Whether it is "Finest Known", "Equal To Finest Known" or other such statements, we do know it is **"EXCESSIVELY RARE".** Evidently Hawn could not locate a choice enough specimen, as it was missing in his extensive collection. We would not be surprised if this Great Rarity would reach or exceed double its 1962 cost of $2,500 or (11 years later) 5,000.00

1805 "CONDITION-CENSUS" HALF DIME

1022. **1805 GLITTERING GOLDEN VIRTUALLY UNCIRCULATED,** only barest friction, light contact marks on throat. **RARE! Neither the Guidebook nor Scott values it in better than V.F.** Scott states **"Obverse almost always weakly struck. Unique in strictly unc., excessively rare in E.F., extremely rare in V.F."** Similar in striking to the Hawn unc. coin described **"Usual weakness of strike at the right border and edge of bust, and correspondingly on the reverse at the eagle's wing. All known specimens have these various areas of uneven strike."**

Breen states **"Obverse almost always weakly struck with details of hair not up. Generally weak on upper right reverse. Parmelee's AU, and the Eliasberg and Atwater coins, EF or so, are apparently the best ones reported."** Therefore, this unusually choice specimen presumably is **"CONDITION-CENSUS" (one of six best known).** The Hawn unc. coin brought $4,500; this choice specimen probably worth around half.

SHIELD & LIBERTY NICKELS

1023. 1875 Brilliant golden WIRE EDGE PROOF. Scarce.
1024. 1876 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF. Unusually choice.
1025. 1885 Brilliant golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK with Prooflike surface, CHOICE!
1026. 1886 Brilliant golden WIRE EDGE PROOF. Scarce.
1027. 1889 Brilliant golden Wire Edge PROOF, minute carbon flecks.
1028. 1894 Brilliant bluish WIRE EDGE PROOF. Scarce.
1029. 1896 Brilliant WIRE EDGE PROOF. Scarce.
1030. 1912-D Brilliant bluish Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, CHOICE! Rare thus.
1031. 1912-S Glittering bluish golden Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, CHOICE! Rare thus.

LIBERTY HEAD SILVER DOLLARS 1878-1921

Quite popular with a number now exceeding catalog values, particularly in the top grades (choice & Gem). All come with "bag-marks" (from being shipped from Mint in bags); those with excessive "bag-marks" or fewer than usual (choice) will be so noted.

1032. 1878 8 Feathers, 78 7/8 feathers, 80-O, 81, 82-O, 86, 88-O, 89-S, 90-P-S Prooflike but have excessive bag-marks.
1033. 1878 7 Feathers (2nd rev.), 78 (3rd rev.), 79-O-S, 80-P-S, 81-O-S, 82-P-S, 83-P-O, 84-P-O Prooflike with only moderate amount of bag-marks.
1034. 1878-S, 79, 86-S, 87-P-O, 88, 89-P-O Prooflike with fewer than usual bag-marks, CHOICE! Rare thus.
1035....1883-S, 1886-O Near Uncirculated, only slight friction, Prooflike.
1036. 1884-S Prooflike, fewer than usual bag-marks, CHOICE. RARE THUS!
1037. 1885-S-O, 87-S, 88-S, 92, 94-S, 97-O Prooflike but have excessive bag-marks.
1038. 1890-O, 91-P-O-S, 96, 97, 98-P-O-S, 99-P-O, 1900, 01-O, 02-O, 03-O Prooflike with only moderate amount of bag-marks.
1039. 1892-O, 93, 94, 96-S, 21-D Near Uncirculated, slight friction, Prooflike.
1040....1892-S Extremely fine and sharp with luster. Scarce.
1041. 1893-S Very Fine. SCARCE.
1042. 1893-O Brilliant to golden Uncirculated, reverse Prooflike, curl above ear a bit flat in striking. Rare so choice.
1043....1894-O, 1901-O-S Extremely fine and sharp with luster.

1044. 1895 PROOF but has abrasions, more on obverse than reverse, edge nick. RARE. Should attract spirited bidding.

1045. 1895-O Near Uncirculated, only slight friction, Prooflike.
1046. 1895-S Prooflike, choice except for faint rubbing on eyebrow & hair strands.
1047. 1896-O, 99-S, 1900-O-S Prooflike, choicer than most.
1048. 1897-S, 1902-P-S, 21-P-S Prooflike, choicer than most.
1049....1903-S Prooflike, Sharp Struck, CHOICE! RARE THUS.
1050. 1904-S Prooflike, moderate amount of bag-marks. Rare.
1051. 1885, 1903, 04-P-O Prooflike, CHOICE TO GEM!

CARSON CITY "CC" MINT DOLLARS

1052. 1878, 80, 83, 85 "CC" Mints, Prooflike with moderate bag-marks.
1053. 1879-CC Prooflike but with more bag-marks. Scarce.
1054. 1880-CC, 8 OVER FAINT HIGH 7, 3rd rev., Prooflike, CHOICE!
1055. 1880-CC, 8 OVER LOW 7, 3rd rev., Prooflike, moderate bag-marks.
1056. 1881-CC PROOFLIKE, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1057. 1882-CC, 84-CC Prooflike, CHOICE!
1058. 1889-CC PROOFLIKE, CHOICER THAN MOST! RARE.
1059. 1890-CC, 91-CC Prooflike, a little more than moderate bag-marks.
1060. 1892-CC Prooflike, choice except faint rub on eyebrow and curl.
1061. 1893-CC Prooflike but weak struck center obverse & reverse. Scarce.

1871-CC DIME CHOICE

1062. **1871-CC SHARP EXTREMELY FINE, bluish golden patina with luster;** if it were'nt for the characteristic slight porosity of "CC" mint planchets, we would be inclined to use more adjectives in its description. Scott Catalogue states "R6 Extremely Rare in Unc." and does not price it above V.F. The Guidebook has it V.F. $600 and Unc. $1,600.00. Oddly enough, the Guidebook 2 years ago had V.F. $475 and Unc. the same $1,-600.00. Evidently a very fine specimen changed hands in those years but not one sufficiently choice on which to base a change. Therefore, the $1,600 figure is "theoretical".

Hawn evidently couldn't locate an uncirculated specimen, as it was missing in his extensive collection. Rarity 6 means only 13 to 30 specimens known in all! **Rare in any condition but EXTREMELY RARE IN THIS CHOICE STATE OF PRESERVATION!** We believe an uncirculated specimen today would easily top $3,000.00. This Sharp Extremely Fine should bring well over 1,000.00

1872-CC DIME UNCIRCULATED

1063.—**1872-CC GLITTERING BLUISH GOLDEN SHARP STRUCK UNCIRCULATED! RAISED EDGE AROUND BOTH SIDES!** Scott states "**Excessively Rare Unc.**". Not in Hawn col. We could extol its rarity and desirability but suffice to say that advanced collectors know its rarity. We confidently expect bids of a few thousand dollars.

UNIQUE 1873-CC DIME UNCIRCULATED

1064. 1873-CC ARROWS, UNCIRCULATED BLUISH GOLDEN, slight porosity of planchet (characteristic of all genuine specimens we can recall seeing in our Forty Years As Professional Numismatists) evident when examined with glass.

Scott states "**Excessively Rare Above Fine. Unique (WGC) In Unc.**"

We note Breen, in the Gilhousen catalog (Superior 10/1/73) describes that coin "**Obverse Very Good, reverse Good. As the date is unobtainable above Fine, the present specimen is very important and in fact one of the highlights of this offering! Probably about 1/10 of 1% of the original 18,791 mintage survive.**" If our mathematics are correct, this means **THAT ONLY ABOUT 19 SPECIMENS TOTAL HAVE SURVIVED!**

In trying to arrive at some idea of its value, we came across the following about the 1804 quarter, and are sharing it with you. "**25¢ 1804, possibly R4 (76 to 200 known), 3 known unc. and rumors of a 4th.**" Scott states "**Extremely rare in unc., very rare E.F.**" and lists it V.F. $675 & unc. $5,750.00. The Guidebook lists it V.F. $750 & unc. $25,000.00. The $25,000.00 is the price an uncirculated specimen brought at Merkin's N.Y. auction a year ago, after spirited bidding. **THE 1873-CC DIME IS AT LEAST FIVE TIMES AS RARE AS THE 1804 QUARTER IN ALL CONDITIONS FROM GOOD ON UP! IN UNCIRCULATED, IT IS AT LEAST THREE AND POSSIBLY FOUR TIMES AS RARE!** Both references corroborate the **MUCH GREATER RARITY OF THE DIME** with the following ratio of values:

	1974 GUIDEBOOK		1971 SCOTT CATALOGUE	
	1873-CC Arrows Dime	1804 Quarter	1873-CC Arrows Dime	1804 Quarter
Good	$300.00	$175.00	$300.00	155.00
Fine	600.00	400.00	500.00	340.00
Very Fine	800.00	750.00	950.00	675.00
Unc.	(Unique)	25,000.00	UNIQUE	5,750.00

Since there has been a specatcular rise in values of the rarities in top grade during the past year, we believe that if an uncirculated 1804 quarter were auctioned now, it would bring closer to $50,000.00. **The 1873-CC dime is MUCH RARER!**

CARSON CITY "CC" DIMES 1875-78 CHOICE

1065. 1875-CC Mintmark below wreath, **GLITTERING GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WIRE EDGE GEM!** Much scarcer than "CC" in wreath variety (Scott). Not in Hawn.

1066. 1877-CC Brilliant bluish **UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WIRE EDGE GEM!**

1067. 1878-CC Brilliant golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! RARE. Greatly underrated! Valued in Scott at about 4½ times value of 1875-76-77-CC dimes. Coinage a mere fraction of that for the above three.

1875-CC 20¢ PIECE PROOFLIKE

1068. 1875-CC GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUISH PROOFLIKE! Rare earlier die state with only tip of left wing shoulder not full struck up, "Liberty" while sharper than usual, has just the beginning of the typical softness of strike. Lovely specimen.

1872-CC QUARTER CHOICE

1069. 1872-CC Extremely Fine with attractive bluish golden patina. Scott states **"Unknown in unc., Very Rare in E.F."** and valued it 3 years ago at $300 Fine and $500 Very Fine. **The Guidebook HASN'T CHANGED ITS VALUE OF $275 FINE & $500 V.F. FOR 10 YEARS (18th to 27th editions)!** It has the third lowest coinage of any year for CC quarters; only 1873-CC and 1870-CC have lower coinages. As stated in Scott, this specimen is **VERY RARE.** The owner, who is a discriminating collector, said that it was **the best he could find in many years searching.** Easily worth "Well Into Four Figures".

CARSON CITY "CC" QUARTERS 1876-78 CHOICE

1070. 1876-CC "Fine Reeding" variety. Scott states **"153 reeds instead of the usual 119. Dozens of times rarer than usual 1876-CC and not found on any other issue".** Appears to be Uncirculated at first glance, but close inspection reveals just the faintest rubbing, lovely golden luster.

1071. 1876-CC "PLAIN EDGE" (actually evidence of faint normal 119 reeds when viewed with glass) Extremely Fine with Luster. Bought as "RARE".

1072. 1877-CC BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, PROOFLIKE!

1073. 1878-CC "Cancelled" obverse die variety; we note a specimen in Superior 10/1/73 sale described **"plain straight die cut from near elbow at left along upper thigh to knee, as made. One of the few instances where a die cut of this kind is actually on the die and not a knife-cut on the coin; a naked-eye variety not listed in Taxay. Very RARE."** Golden Uncirculated, close inspection with glass reveals faint rub.

1870-CC "CONDITION-CENSUS" HALF DOLLAR

1074. 1870-CC Very close indeed to "Uncirculated" with only just the barest friction on the highest points, lovely iridescent bluish golden patina, SHARP STRUCK! Scott states **"Only one known in unc.".** Therefore **this choice specimen must be "CONDITION-CENSUS"** (six best condition coins). **No Drapery from elbow, similar to the photo of the Hawn coin,** which was a gem and presumably the unc. coin mentioned in Scott. The Hawn coin brought $13,500.00. No, this specimen is not worth that much but we do believe it will bring "Well Into Four Figures".

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1871-CC CHOICE HALF DOLLAR

1075. 1871-CC Not too far from Uncirculated with some friction on knee and breasts. the reverse is even sharper with only the barest friction on left leg feathers and left eagle's claws, pleasing light golden patina. Scott states **"Excessively rare in unc., Very Rare in E.F."** and does not price it in better than V.F. The exceptional Hawn coin brought $4,000.00. This specimen probably worth $1,000 or so.

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1076.... 1872-CC Glittering lovely iridescent bluish golden Virtually Uncirculated, only faint traces of rubbing remove it from strictly uncirculated.

1873-CC NO ARROWS, UNCIRCULATED HALF DOLLAR

1077. **1873-CC No Arrows, GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUISH UNCIRCULATED,** only a tiny contact mark on the edge reeding keeps us from using superlatives. Stack's in cataloging the Hawn coin states **"The R. L. Miles coin is the only other Mint State specimen we can locate".** The Hawn coin went for what we consider a "bargain", only $2,300.00. We felt it would bring in excess of $3,000.00. It will be interesting to see what this exceptional specimen now brings in a constantly rising market.

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1078. **1873-CC WITH "ARROWS", Virtually Uncirculated, only slight rubbing on knee and breast, attractive golden patina.** SCARCE. Popular "type". The Hawn unc. coin brought $725; this worth proportionately.

1874-CC CHOICE HALF DOLLAR

1079. **1874-CC UNCIRCULATED EXCEPT FOR RUB ON KNEE, Brilliant to golden,** Scott states **"Extremely Rare In Unc."** The Hawn sale proved it by his uncirculated coin bringing $3,000.00. It will be interesting to see what this one now brings.

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CARSON CITY "CC" HALF DOLLARS 1875-77 CHOICE

1080. **1875-CC GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUISH UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM!** The Hawn coin brought $525 in August; the continuing strong market coin brought $525 in August; the continuing strong market leads us to believe this gem will now bring somewhat more.

1081. **1876-CC GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUISH UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH PROOFLIKE OBVERSE.** The Hawn coin also had a prooflike obverse and brought 650.00

1082. **1877-CC BRILLIANT GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!** Variety **WITHOUT DRAPERY FROM ELBOW** (a glass reveals one faint line). Smaller total coinage of 1877-CC than for 1876-CC. RARE. Could bring into "Four Figures".

1083. 1877-CC Normal "With Drapery", a top-grade Extremely Fine with reverse practically Uncirculated, attractive golden patina.

1878-CC "GEM" HALF DOLLAR

1084. **1878-CC BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE. WE DO NOT SEE HOW A BETTER SPECIMEN COULD EXIST!** Scott states **"Extremely Rare In Unc."** The Hawn coin went at a "bargain" at only $2,300.00. We believe this pristine rarity will bring over .. 3,000.00

CARSON CITY "CC" DOLLARS 1870-72 CHOICE

1085. **1870-CC GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOFLIKE! A lovely specimen RARE SO CHOICE.**

1086. 1871-CC Extremely Fine. A sharp specimen with lovely golden bluish patina. **A MERE 1376 STRUCK OVER A CENTURY AGO, MAKING IT THE LOWEST COINAGE (by far) OF ALL THE CC MINT DOLLARS!** Easily worth "Well Into Four Figures."

1087. **1872-CC Rather close to Uncirculated with only slight friction. THE THIRD RAREST "CC" DOLLAR! Only 3,150 struck. A "Four Figure" item.**

CARSON CITY "CC" TRADE DOLLARS

1088. 1874-CC GLITTERING GRAY & GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED, CHOICE! Scarce.
1089. 1875-CC Uncirculated with bluish toning, SHARP STRUCK, 2 "bag-marks"
1090. 1877-CC Uncirculated bluish golden, typical strike with head-band and eagle's left claw not fully struck up. RARE DATE.

1875-S OVER CC TRADE DOLLAR CHOICE

1091. 1875-S OVER CC, Brilliant slightly golden virtually Uncirculated, only barest rubbing. Scott states **"R7." (7 to 9 known)!** The Superior sale (10/1/73) states **"Remains a full Rarity 7 despite over ten years of vigorous search; likely to remain a great rarity for the foreseeable future."** Particularly rare so choice.

CARSON CITY "CC" $5 GOLD

The "Explosion" in values for rare and choice gold, particularly in recent months, has made records (even recent ones) obsolete. Carson City gold seems to be in the forefront in popularity. Therefore, we feel it best to leave out obsolete records. The coins will stand on their own merit and rise to their own level of value.

1092. $5 1871-CC Near Uncirculated, quite sharp but lightly burnished. Scott states "Unknown in unc., extremely rare in E.F." RARE DATE.

1093. $5 1872-CC About Extremely Fine (reverse sharper than obverse). Scott states "Unknown in unc."
1094. $5 1874-CC Very Good.

1095. $5 1876-CC Near uncirculated, sharp but lightly burnished. Scott states "Unknown in unc." LOWEST MINTED "CC" $5 GOLD!

1096. $5 1877-CC Extremely Fine. Scott states **"Unknown in unc., Excessively Rare In E.F." RARE DATE!**

1097. $5 1880-CC UNCIRCULATED, obverse some toning, reverse brilliant.
1098. $5 1882-CC UNLISTED VARIETY, Second "C" Recut At Top, near uncirculated, only slight friction.

CARSON CITY "CC" $10 GOLD

1099. $10 1874-CC Very Fine or so. SCARCE.

1100. $10 1877-CC Extremely Fine & Sharp with some Luster. VERY RARE! Scott states **"Rarity 6. Unknown in unc.".**

UNLISTED 1891-CC $10 GOLD RECUT "CC"

1101. $10 1891-CC UNLISTED DOUBLE-PUNCHED "CC" with First CC to Right of Final CC. BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK but with the usual "bag-marks".

1858 OVER INVERTED DATE HALF DIME PROOF?

1102. **1858 OVER INVERTED DATE, BRILLIANT GOLDEN PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES, SHARPLY STRUCK WITH RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES GENERALLY ASSOCIATED WITH PROOFS!** A "Fantastic" specimen acquired years ago as the regular 1858 Proof. Undoubtedly, **THE FINEST KNOWN OF THIS RARE VARIETY!** Probably a **"PRESENTATION PIECE".** **We believe this to be UNIQUE in this condition!**

1797 16 STARS "MINT STATE" DIME

1103. **1797 16 Stars, GLITTERING GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED WITH FULL LUSTER!** A remarkable specimen which would easily qualify as "CONDITION CENSUS". Variety with die break from edge through bottom of bust, top of 17 and through star. The choicest specimen of this variety we have seen, even though some stars, to pof right wing shoulder and some breast feathers are not fully struck up. The eagle's head is fully struck up with even the eye sharp! Should bring a "run-away" price.

1804 CHOICE DIME

1104. **1804 14 STARS REV., Extremely Fine & Sharp with only slight friction, 2 faint hairlines across cheek visible when closely examined, BOLD STRIKE with all reverse stars complete and visible; only left obverse stars not completely struck up. Scott catalogue states "Unknown in unc., very rare in E.F." Well worth into four figures.**

EARLY DIMES

1105. **1823 Over 22, small E's UNCIRCULATED GOLDEN, a choice specimen with stars fully struck up! Rare. Popular type. Records well into four figures.**

1106. 1830 Small 10¢, UNCIRCULATED LIGHT GOLDEN, Sharp Struck, Records into mid and upper three figures.

1841 NO DRAPERY DIME
UNIQUE?

1107. **1841 NO DRAPERY, STRUCK AS A PROOF WITH RAISED EDGE AND "SQUARE BORDERS"!** It has seen some circulation as there is slight friction on the knee, **MUCH OF ORIGINAL PROOF SURFACE STILL REMAINING.**

This specimen was in a New Netherlands sale about 10 years ago described there as "Once A Proof". They stated there that they knew of only three specimens; this one, a proof (mentioned twenty odd years prior - but unverified since) and the WGC (World's Greatest Collection) one. Careful comparison of this specimen with the plate in WGC catalog reveals that THIS IS THAT IDENTICAL SPECIMEN! Since the actual existence of the proof has not been verified, **THIS SPECIMEN COULD THEN BE UNIQUE! THE SMITHSONIAN DOES NOT HAVE ONE!**
New Netherlands had this to say:

"The missing drapery resulted from an over-ambitious polishing or "proofing" of the obverse die. The diameter of the stars has also been diminished in the process. The rim is much broader than on the business strikes for this year, which fact should satisfy any doubts which might exist regarding its proof origin."

How does one go about establishing the value of a **UNIQUE** coin which has been on every collector's want list?

It is certainly rarer than the 1913 Liberty Head Nickel which a dealer bought for $100,000.00 last year.

It is certainly rarer than the 1804 Dollar which a dealer bought for $80,000.00 last year.

It is certainly rarer than the 1907 Extra High Relief Roman Date $20 which recently sold for $125,000.00.

BECAUSE IT IS IN A "CLASS BY ITSELF", WE NAME IT THE **"MONA LISA" DIME!** THE "MONA LISA" PAINTING IS IN A "CLASS BY ITSELF" As THE MOST VALUABLE PAINTING. Mehl named the **1804 Dollar as "THE KING OF AMERICAN COINS"** and Stack's named the **1841 Quarter Eagle "THE LITTLE PRINCESS".** This UNIQUE 1841 NO DRAPERY DIME will henceforth be known as **"THE MONA LISA" DIME.**

Regardless of the price now paid, we firmly believe it will eventually reach a "Mona Lisa" price. **PLATE**

LIBERTY SEATED DIMES

1108. 1856 Small date, uncirculated with deep bluish golden patina, sharp struck.
1109. 1856 Small date, uncirculated golden, 3 stars & 2 leaves not struck up.
1110. 1860 PERFECT BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE GEM! We had to examine it carefully before confirming it was not a proof. Quite rare in this remarkable condition.
1111. 1863 **BRILLIANT TO BLUE & GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED SHARP STRUCK GEM WITH PROOFLIKE SURFACES!** We gave careful examination to this beauty before accepting it as Uncirculated and not a proof due to the much greater rarity of Uncirculated than proof in this date. A pristine example fully deserving of "MINT STATE 70" grade. Not in Hawn collection (Aug. 29, 1973 Stack's auction) which did have 1863 half dime gem unc. which brought $550 (18,000 business-strikes compared to only 14,000 for this dime) and 1864 half dime gem unc., which brought $1,100.00. Scott Catalogue lists the 1864 hal fdime unc. as R6 and 1863 dime unc. as R5.
1112. **1866 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED SHARP STRUCK GEM, PROOFLIKE OBVERSE, MINT FROST REVERSE.** Deserving of the accolade "MINT STATE 70". Not in Hawn collection which did have the 1865 (10,000 business strikes) which brought $700.00. The 1866 has a coinage of only 8,000 business-strikes.
1113. **1873 ARROWS, BRILLIANT PROOF, CHOICE! SETTING NEW RECORDS.**

BARBER DIMES — CHOICE

1115. 1899-S Brilliant golden uncirculated, Sharply Struck. Scarce.
1116. 1901-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK, CHOICE! Next to only the 1895-O in rarity. We note the Delp (Stack's 11/72) coin a year ago brought $675; this beauty probably now worth closer to 1,000.00
1117. 1903-S GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOFLIKE GEM! RARE. The Delp coin a year ago brought $340; surely this GEM now worth over 500.00
1118. 1904-S GLITTERING BLUISH GOLDEN PROOFLIKE GEM! The Delp coin a year ago brought $300; surely this remarkable specimen now worth somewhat more.
1119. 1909-S Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, CHOICE! Delp coin $95 a year ago.
1120. 1912-S Brilliant bluish golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1121. 1913-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! SCARCE.
1122. 1913-S ANOTHER BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Delp coin brought $240 a year ago. Present value?
1123. 1914-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1124. 1915 BRILLIANT GOLDEN WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! PRISTINE! Only 450 Struck.
1125. 1915-S Brilliant Golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1126. 1915-S Another Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

MERCURY DIMES — CHOICE

1127. 1916-D Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Delp (Stack's 11/72) coin a year ago brought $900; we confidently expect this now to bring into the "Four Figures".
1128. 1921-D Near Uncirculated, Sharp, only slight friction. Scarce.

TWENTY-CENT PIECES

1129. 1875-S Brilliant Uncirculated, "Frosty", CHOICE!
1130. 1875-CC Rare variety with eagle's wing fully struck although eagle's breast feathers and knee not full, Brilliant golden Uncirculated. SCARCE.
1131. 1876 Glittering golden blue PROOF.
1132. 1877 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT GEM PROOF! RARE!
1133. 1878 GLITTERING GOLDEN WIRE EDGE PROOF, faint hairline. RARE.
1134. 1878 LITTERING IRIDESCENT GEM PROOF! RARE. The Delp coin a year ago brought $700; surely this should now reach closer to 1,00.00
1135. 1878 GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUE WIRE EDGE PROOF. RARE.

1114. **1894-S BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN PROOFLIKE WITH RAISED EDGE AROUND BOTH SIDES!** Careful examination with glass reveals slight rub spot between wreath and DIME and short scratch below wreath extending from "S" to right.

Scott Catalogue lists it under **"BRANCH MINT PROOFS"** on page 273 and states: **"24 STRUCK. Occasion unknown. R7, including one which entered circulation and is now in only "good" condition. All genuine specimens have a tiny rectangular die defect at the base of E in word DIME. One of the most sought after of U.S. coins because of no regular issue for this date and mint."**

The Guidebook has **"1972 PRIVATE SALE $50,000.00."** It was purchased by a dealer who proudly displays it and values it "Considerably More". We have seen it valued at $100,000.00 by one of the "quote" or "valuation" graphs periodically published purporting to give "current values". This particular specimen has been traced back to Jim Kelly of Dayton, Ohio. One of the country's leading dealers in former years.

It is certainly **"THE MOST WANTED DIME"** and **"ONE OF THE THREE MOST WANTED UNITED STATES COINS"**. These three being the **1804 DOLLAR, 1913 LIBERTY HEAD NICKLE and the 1894-S DIME.** Of these three, the 1804 Dollar was first struck in 1834 and the 1913 Liberty Head Nickel was never authorized (it is listed in Scott Catalogue on page 283 under "SIMULATED SERIES COINS"). **THE ONLY ONE OF THESE THREE TO BE OFFICIALLY ISSUED IS THE 1894-S DIME!** We believe the 1894-S dime, due to its "Official Issue", will surpass the other two in value in the not too distant future.

1796 "MINT STATE" QUARTER

1136. 1796 PROOFLIKE, SHARPLY STRUCK WITH ALL STARS COMPLETELY FULL, COMPLETE & SHARP EDGE SERRATIONS BOTH SIDES! Glittering bluish golden, EXCESSIVELY RARE VARIETY WITH EAGLE'S HEAD STRUCK UP! Close examination with glass reveals faint "mint equalization marks" across center of reverse. SUPERIOR IN STRIKE TO THE TERREL COIN (flat eagle's head and breast feathers) in American Auction Ass. sale May 18, 1973 which brought $17,000.00. A remarkable specimen of this "ONE YEAR ONLY" Type destined to set a new record.
PLATE

EARLY QUARTERS

1137. 1805 Fine obverse, Very Fine reverse. Unusually nice strike. 300.00
1138. 1806 Virtually Uncirculated with lovely natural gray golden patina, only barest friction. ONE OF THE SHARPEST STRUCK SPECIMENS WE HAVE SEEN! In fact, sharper than most "Uncirculated" specimens we have seen sold in the last year or so. If not for the slight friction, we would not hesitate pricing this beauty at $5,000.00. It will be interesting to see what the keen demand for a sharply struck specimen such as this, sends it to.
1139. 1819 Small 9, variety with "255" reverse, Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction high points, strong demand for "type". Scarce.

1825 "GEM" UNCIRCULATED QUARTER

1141. 1825 Over 24, wide 25 C, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Much rarer than usual 1825 over 23 variety offered. POPULAR "TYPE".

1834 PROOFLIKE QUARTER

1142. 1834 Glittering golden Uncirculated with PROOFLIKE SURFACE OBVERSE & REVERSE, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

LIBERTY SEATED QUARTERS

1143. 1841 Glittering golden bluish UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK! Low coinage.
1144. 1845 Glittering golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK! Scott states, "Very rare in unc."
1145. 1846 Golden PROOF, a glass reveals faint hairlines and tiny nicks in left field, on cheek and in right field. RARE. Seldom offered.
1146. 1853 NO ARROWS, Recut Date, very fine. RARE. VERY LOW COINAGE.
1147. 1853 RAYS & ARROWS, Uncirculated with deep golden patina. POPULAR!
1148. 1855-O Arrows, Top-Grade Extremely Fine with only slight wear. Scott states, "Excessively rare in unc." Easily worth a "Mid Three Figure" price.
1149. 1855-S Arrows, Large Bold "S", GLITTERING GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED! states "Extremely Rare In Unc." and values it $800 in the nearly 4 year old reference. Should exceed 1,500.00
1150. 1856-S LARGE S Over small s, very good (evidence of tooling — to remove solder?). Scott states "2 KNOWN"!
1151. 1874 ARROWS, Uncirculated golden. Scarce. Popular "Type".

1140. 1823 OVER 22, GLITTERING BLUE PROOFLIKE OBVERSE & REVERSE, HIGH RAISED WIRE EDGE AROUND BOTH SIDES WITH REEDING SHARP & "SQUARE" GENERALLY ASSOCIATED WITH PROOFS! It appears that abnormal pressure was used in striking this lovely specimen and resulted in the highest points being slightly flattened in the process.

A careful examination of this remarkable specimen will reveal that the slight flatness was not caused by wear. Identifiable by the minute nick after date.

Scott states, "Borderline Rarity 7, Unknown In Full Unc." We believe this is "THE FINEST KNOWN" specimen and "UNIQUE" as a "PRESENTATION PIECE"! As a date, THIS IS THE RAREST DATE QUARTER! The 1827 has long been regarded as the rarest date but when one adds up the known originals and restrikes, they exceed the 1823 in number.

In addition, the 1827's come in proof but the 1823 is generally seen in only fair to good with "very good" being either "condition-census" or close to it; "Fine to very Fine" would be High Up In "Condition-Census". This choice specimen then is "In A Class By Itself"!

In October, 1972 Merkin's auction (N.Y.) had an uncirculated 1804 quarter. After spirited bidding, it was "knocked down" to the successful buyer at $25,000.00. There are at least 3 and possibly 4 uncirculated specimens said to be known. In addition, it is said to be Rarity 4 (75 to 200 known) compared to Borderline Rarity 7 (11 or 12 known). This specimen last appeared upon the market 6 years ago at $15,000.00. We believe this "Fantastic" specimen should now exceed $50,000.00. There are more known specimens of the 1838-O Half Dollar than there are of the 1823 quarter. The 1838-O Half Dollar appeared upon the market twice this year; At auction where it realized $41,000.00 and in a fixed price list at 75,000.00

THIS 1823/22 QUARTER IS RARER THAN THE 1838-O HALF DOLLAR!

LIBERTY SEATED QUARTERS

1152. **1878-S Extremely Fine with pleasing bluish golden patina. Rare so choice. Worth between the V.F. $400 and Unc.** 1,000.00
1153. **1879 BRILLIANT PROOF, CHOICE! Only 250 struck.**
1154. 1880 Glittering gray & iridescent PROOF, CHOICE.
1155. 1880 BRILLIANT GOLDEN GEM PROOF!
1156. 1883 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!
1157. 1885 PERFECT GLITTERING BLUISH GOLDEN PROOFLIKE GEM! So choice that it is close to the quality in striking of a proof. Much rarer than proof.
1158. 1886 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! Very Low Total Coinage.
1159. 1887 PERFECT ("Mint State 70") GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOFLIKE GEM! Complete prooflike surface. Much rarer than proof.
1160. 1888 Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated GEM! PRISTINE.
1161. 1891 Brilliant Iridescent Proof, GEM except minute carbon fleck.

BARBER QUARTERS

1162. 1892-O Brilliant "Frosty" Iridescent UNCIRCULATED GEM! Pristine!
1163. **1895 "CAMEO-SHARP" PROOF, EXTREMELY HIGH WIRE EDGE, BRILLIANT BLUE & PURPLE GEM! Must be seen to be believed!**
1164. **1896-O Brilliant Iridescent SHARPLY STRUCK UNCIRCULATED, RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES! A "Fantastic" specimen of this rarity.**

1165. **1896-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM!** A glass reveals some minute carbon flecks but it would be difficult to locate an equal. We note most of the Barber quarters have brought double or even close to triple catalog value in GEM condition. Surely this "Key Rare Date" will bring a price commensurate with its rarity.

1166. **1897-S Brilliant light golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! A year ago the Delp (Stack's 11/72) coin brought $340; surely this rarity now worth over** 500.00
1167. **1899-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! Rare.**

1901-S "GEM" UNCIRCULATED QUARTER

1168. **1901-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! We do not see how a choicer specimen of this outstanding rarity could exist!** The Patten coin (Stack's 5/73 auction) brought $3,750.00. Now, half-a-year later, we believe this magnificent specimen will realize closer to 5,000.00
1169. **1905-S Glittering Golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! Truly rare in this condition.**
1170. 1907 Brilliant golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1171. **1908-S Brilliant UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! Rare date.**
1172. 1911-D Brilliant Golden UNCIRCULATED GEM! Scarce date.
1173. 1911-S Brilliant UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!
1174. 1911-S Brilliant slightly golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!
1175. **1912-S Brilliant UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! SCARCE DATE.**
1176. **1914-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED GEM! The Delp coin a year ago brought $525; now worth somewhat more.**
1177. **1915 BRILLIANT BLUISH GOLDEN GEM PROOF! PRISTINE! Only 450 struck.**
1178. 1915-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!

LIBERTY STANDING QUARTERS

A marked rise in popularity of this series during the past year leads us to expect new records to be set for these exceptional specimens.

1179. **1916 Brilliant slightly golden UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! A mere 52,000 struck, making it The Lowest Coinage (by far) of this series. well worth into "Four Figures".**
1180. 1917 Type I, Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE.

LIBERTY STANDING QUARTER

1181. 1917-D Type I, Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!
1182. 1917-S Type I, Brilliant golden Uncirculated, FULL HEAD SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1183. 1917 Type II, Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! Dificult to find so sharp.
1184. 1917-S Type II, Brilliant golden Uncirculated, FULL-HEAD, CHOICE! Scarce thus.
1185. 1917-D Type II, Brilliant golden Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! RARE THUS.
1186. 1918 Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD SHARP STRUCK GEM! Rare thus.
1187. 1918-S Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! Usual incomplete head.

1918-S, 8 OVER 7 QUARTER

1188. 1918-S, 8 OVER 7, Virtually Uncirculated, only slight rubbing highest points, considerable luster. Head medium full strike, sharper strike than most but not completely full. THE RAREST QUARTER OF THE SET! Catalogs $3,250 uncirculated, but a completely full head uncirculated specimen would probably exceed $5,000.00 (if it were available).

1189. 1919 Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! Usual partial softness in striking of date.
1190. 1919-D Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE! One Of The TOP RARITIES in the series this sharply struck. Well worth into the "Mid to High Three Figures".
1191. 1919-S Brilliant uncirculated, 80% FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE! Rare Date.
1192. 1920 Brilliant golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! Rare thus.
1193. **1920-D Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharper Head Than Most Seen but still not completely full, SHARP STRUCK DATE, GEM! PRISTINE. RARE SO CHOICE.**
1194. **1920-S Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! RARE THUS! Particularly difficult date to find with Full Head.**
1195. 1921 Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE! RARE DATE.
1196. 1923 Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE!
1197. 1923-S Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE! RARE DATE.
1198. 1924 Brilliant (golden halo) Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE!
1199. 1924-D Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK DATE, 90% FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE. One of the rarest dates this sharply struck! Well worth "Mid Three Figures".
1200. 1924-S Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE! Rare thus.
1201. 1925 RECESSED DATE TYPE, Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE! Year old record of $150.00. Popular "First Year of Type."

1927-S "FULL HEAD" GEM QUARTER

1202. 1927-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, FULL HEAD GEM! A remarkable specimen of the SECOND RAREST DATE OF THE SET. Easily worth over 1,500.00

1203. 1928-D Brilliant (golden halo) Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE. RARE SO SHARP!
1204. 1929 Brilliant golden Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! Popular for "type".
1205. 1929-D Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM* PRISTINE! RARE SO SHARP!
1206. 1929-S Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE!
1207. 1930 Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE!
1208. 1930-S Brilliant Uncirculated, FULL HEAD GEM! PRISTINE!

1796 HALF DOLLAR — CHOICE

1209. 1796 15 Stars, **SMALL EAGLE** with "½ BELOW, **NICE SHARP EVEN STRIKE WITH ONLY SLIGHT EVEN FRICTION BOTH SIDES!** It would be difficult to argue with its **"ABOUT UNCIRCULATED"** attribution. **One of the most attractive and desirable specimens we have encountered in our forty years as professional numismatists!** Well worth into "Five Figures".

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1803 HALF DOLLAR UNCIRCULATED

1210. 1803 Small 3, **UNCIRCULATED BRILLIANT TO GOLDEN CENTER WITH BLUE PERIPHERY.** The unc. Hawn coin (Stack's 8/73 auction) was **"weak on the eagle's head and adjacent stars"**. This specimen (comparing it with the photograph of the Hawn coin) has the **eagle's head and adjacent stars sharper** (although still not completely full). The **obverse stars at right are much sharper than the Hawn coin.** Undoubtedly **"HIGH UP IN CONDITION-CENSUS"!** In fact, **THE CHOICEST SPECIMEN WE CAN RECALL APPEARING IN ALL OUR 300 SALES!** The Scott Catalogue acknowledges its great rarity in uncirculated by not attempting to value it in this condition. The Guidebook value unc. is "theoretical" as we do not know of any record for a true uncirculated specimen selling the previous year on which the price could be based. **EXCESSIVELY RARE UNCIRCULATED!** The Hawn coin, we felt, sold at a "bargain" at only $2,700; we believe an uncirculated specimen to be worth upwards of . . 3,500.00

1806 HALF DOLLARS — CHOICE

1211. 1806 5, **UNCIRCULATED LUSTROUS BLUISH GOLDEN, WIRE EDGE BOTH SIDES!** A lovely specimen of Overton 101 variety with **sharper impression than generally encountered;** the stars, while not all completely struck up, are still much sharper than generally seen over the years. **Even the eagle's claws are Full & Sharp!** Scott does not value this in unc. due to its rarity. Surely this choice specimen is **"CONDITION-CENSUS"** (top 6 condition known). The Gem Hawn coin brought $6,000.00 This specimen, while not quite as choice as the exceptional Hawn coin, is Highly Desirable and well worth several thousand dollars.

1212. 1806 Over 5, Overton 103 variety, very close to Uncirculated, only barest friction. **Superior to Overton plate coin! Rare thus.**

1213. **1806 Over 5, Overton 104 with much of underlying 5 visible, extremely fine with missing cloud and star characteristic of this variety. Far superior to Overton plate coin! VERY RARE VARIETY & CONDITION.**

1214. 1806 Over 9 (inverted 6) Overton 112, Extremely Rare variety struck from shattered obverse die (which accounts for its great rarity). A top-grade Extremely Fine specimen **FAR SUPERIOR TO OVERTON PLATE COIN!** Much of what appears to be wear is actually due to the weakness in striking caused by the shattered die.

1215. 1806 Pointed 6 stem thru claw, O-116 variety (Rare), near Uncirculated with much luster, only slight friction.

1807 HALF DOLLARS — CHOICE

1216. 1807 BUST LEFT, Large Stars, near Uncirculated, only slight friction.

1217. **1807 50 OVER 20, BUST LEFT, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH HIGH WIRE EDGE AROUND BOTH SIDES, GEM! PRISTINE WITH FULL SHIMMERING PROOFLIKE LUSTER! EVERY STAR COMES TO A POINT AND HAIR LINES RAZOR SHARP.** Lovely light golden and blue color. **"MINT STATE 70"!** We do not see how a choicer specimen could exist. We confidently predict a "run-away price" for this fantastic specimen.

1808-1815 HALF DOLLARS-CHOICE

1218. **1808 Over 7, Uncirculated shimmering golden bluish with ALL STARS SHARP & COMING TO A POINT.** This style bust & eagle struck only 1807-08. We note a specimen advertised on page 1660 of 9/73 Numismatist as "Uncirculated Mint State 65" for $1,500.00. There doesn't seem to be any stopping the rapid rise in prices for choice specimens of these elusive early coins.

1219. 1808 BRILLIANT GOLDEN BLUISH SHARP STRUCK UNCIRCULATED GEM! PRISTINE "MINT STATE 70"! Overton 109 variety which he lists as RARITY 4.

1220. 1810 Glittering Bluish Golden UNCIRCULATED. A remarkably choice specimen with sharp struck eagle wings (The Hawn coin had the left wing a trifle weak). The Hawn coin brought $900; present value?

1221. 1811 Over 10, Date 18.11 (later die state without traces of O under 1) BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED! Overton 102 variety which he lists as RARITY 6 (ONLY 13 TO 30 KNOWN) with left stars Full & Sharp and right stars not completely full, only slight milling. **VERY RARE VARIETY IN EXCESSIVELY RARE CONDITION!** Much rarer than 1808/7 or other varieties listed above.

1222. 1812 Over 11, small 8 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WITH LOVELY BLUE PATINA AROUND EDGE, SHARP STRUCK although some stars not completely full (similar in striking to photo of Hawn coin) A lovely specimen of this scarce overdate. The Hawn coin brought $750; the rise in market values since then leads us to expect it to now realize closer to 1,000.00

1223. **1815 Over 12,** Extremely Fine & Sharp. A choice specimen showing only nominal wear. Unusually sharp strike. **SCARCE.** Well worth a "High Three Figures."

1817-1836 HALF DOLLARS — CHOICE

1224. 1817 Date Wide spaced 1 8 1 7, **BRILLIANT GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED WITH ALL STARS NEEDLE-SHARP!** Overton 109 variety with both 0 & C in OF AMERICA Recut, RARITY 4. A Very Scarce variety far superior to Overton plate coin! Undoubtedly **"HIGH IN CONDITION-CENSUS"!** We note the Hawn coin "date spaced 1 8 1 7" brought $800; surely this lovely Rarity 4 specimen now worth over 1,000.00

1225. 1817 OVER 13, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WITH LOVELY BLUE "HALO" AROUND PERIPHERY, NEEDLE-SHARP STRIKE WITH REMARKABLY HIGH & SHARP EDGE AROUND BOTH SIDES! A most unusual coin which we confidently predict will bring well into "Four Figures".

1226.....1819 Over 18, Large 9, **BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WITH LOVELY BLUISH GOLDEN "HALO" AROUND PERIPHERY, SHARP STRIKE WITH CENTER POINTS OF STARS COMPLETELY FULL!** Overton 105 variety with solid bar joining tail to loop of 9. RARITY 4 compared to Rarity 1 for the usual 1819/18 Large 9 variety. The Hawn "1819/18 Large 9" brought $425; surely this many times rarer variety worth closer to 1,000.00

1227. 1820 Small late, curl-base 2, BRILLIANT GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH PROOFLIKE SURFACE BOTH SIDES! EVERY POINT OF EVERY STAR SHARP! Hawn had the other four major varieties of 1820 listed in the Guidebook but not this one. The reason now becomes apparent. Overton 103a variety listed Rarity 4. The other four major varieties are listed as Rarity 1 or Rarity 2. Since Hawn's 1820 square base, no knob 2, large close date (Rarity 1) in gem brought $700, we feel this MUCH RARER Variety in PROOFLIKE condition should bring at least double.

1228. 1825 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE!

1229. 1829 Brilliant Uncirculated with slight blue "halo" around edge, variety with some stars and hair strand back of Y not fully struck up. although eagle's claws and wings quite sharp. The Hawn (choicer than this — different variety) brought $425; this worth?

1230. 1830 Small o, Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated GEM! Hawn coin brought $325; the rise in market values since then leads us to believe this choice specimen will now bring somewhat more.

1231. 1836 Lettered Edge, Brilliant slightly bluish Uncirculated with full luster, usual strike. Hawn coin brought $270 in August; probably now worth closer to 300.00

1836 50¢ OVER 00 HALF DOLLAR UNCIRCULATED

1232. **1836 50 C over OO, BRILLIANT GOLDEN BLUISH UNCIRCULATED!** In cataloging the Hawn coin, Stack's stated "It is a Rarity 7 item just for the blunder part, but as a Proof it has to be Rarity 8. Worth over $2,000.-00." It brought $3,500.00. Rarity 7 means not over 12 coins total in all conditions known and could possibly be several less (down to 4). An unusual opportunity to acquire one of the rarest half dollars in choice condition! We would be greatly surprised if this rarity didn't realize "well into Four Figures".

REEDED EDGE BUST "50 CENTS" HALVES 1836-1837

1233. **1836 REEDED EDGE, GLITTERING BLUE UNCIRCULATED,** tiny edge dinge not readily noticeable unless held on end. **ONLY 1200 STRUCK MAKING IT THE LOWEST COINAGE LISTED FOR ANY DATE HALF DOLLAR!** Setting new records just about every time offered. Hawn coin brought $1,600; we expect the trend to continue with this specimen topping 2,000.00

1234. **1837 "50 CENTS"** Reverse as above, **BRILLIANT GOLDEN BLUE UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! A remarkable specimen of this popular "type" struck only in late 1836 & 1837. We would be disappointed if bidding didn't send it into "Four Figures".**

1235. **1837 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE!**

1837 POSSIBLE PATTERN HALF DOLLAR?

1236. 1837 From a 1972 sale described "**1837 VERY BROAD PLANCHET (larger than regular 1837) BROAD RAISED EDGE (obverse), WIRE EDGE (reverse), bifurcated top of T in CENTS, Uncirculated blue toning, faint "cabinet friction". The owner believed this to be a pattern since it differed from the regular halves of this date. No 1837 patterns are in the Judd book. The act authorizing this coinage was not passed until Jan. 18, 1837.**

A most interesting piece worthy of research. Whatever the reason for the striking of this specimen, IT IS UNDOUBTEDLY OF THE GREATEST RARITY!"

We have measured this lovely Glittering Iridescent Peacock-Blue & Gold piece and it measures an astonishing 32mm.

It is difficult to attempt to place a value on such rarity. Probably a "Mid Four Figures" extending into "Five Figures" would be a "guess-timate".

"HALF DOL." TYPE HALVES 1838-1839

1237. 1838 "HALF DOL." REVERSE, Uncirculated bluish golden. The superior Hawn coin brought 750.00

1238. 1839 "HALF DOL." Glittering Bluish Golden Uncirculated. Hawn coin brought 650.00

1239. 1839-O Mint Mark Above Date as in 1838-O, Uncirculated golden but close examination reveals several minor abrasions. The Hawn gem brought $1,050; this worth half, or perhaps less.

1839 NO DRAPERY "SPECIMEN STRIKE" HALF DOLLAR

1240. **1839 NO DRAPERY, SHARP "SQUARE RAISED EDGE" CHARACTERISTIC OF PROOFS, COMPLETE PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES and UNUSUALLY SHARP IMPRESSION!** Acquired as **"PROOF, EXCESSIVELY RARE"!** It has many of the characteristics generally associated with proofs but since it does not have all, we would rather be a bit conservative and call it a **"SPECIMEN STRIKE".** A glance at this remarkable specimen will show that **"Special Care"** was given to its manufacture. Whether it was intentionally struck as a Proof, or struck from Proof dies immediately after the striking of the few proofs, or **"Made Up Special"** for some **"Presentation"** purpose would be a good subject for further research.

LOVELY GLITTERING IRIDESCENT with only a few microscopic marks in field above eagle's head (not readily noticeable). The unusual force used in striking this piece may possibly account for the slight flattening of the top haird strand and breast of Liberty.

In strong demand as this "type" was produced only a very short time in 1839, along with the previous bust type and later "with drapery" type. As we go to press, we note an ad on page 5 of the Coin World just received, offering a **"Ch. Brill. Proof" at $25,000.00.** The demand for a top-grade" specimen of this rare type is so strong that we expect that coin will be sold by the time of this sale. PLATE

LIBERTY SEATED HALF DOLLARS — CHOICE

1241. 1846-O Small Recut Date, PARTIAL DRAPERY (only one line from elbow) **Lovely Glittering Iridescent Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK WITH RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES!** The normal 1846-O drapery Hawn coin brought $375; surely this RARE VARIETY now worth much more; perhaps double or even triple.

1849 DOUBLED DATE "HIGH R7."

1242. 1849 From 1972 sale described **"1849 DOUBLED DATE, second date punched FAR TO RIGHT OF FIRST DATE, UNCIRCULATED! The Scott Comprehensive Catalogue And Encyclopedia of U.S. Coins has "HIGH R7. (ONLY 4 TO 6 KNOWN)". Note on envelope has "SEE STANDARD CATALOGUE 1957". "FINEST KNOWN OF THIS EXCESSIVELY RARE BLUNDERED DIE, 1,000.00".** (1,500.00)." It brought $1,050 then; when "common date" Liberty Seated unc. were bringing about one-third what they now realize. Not in Hawn or other noteworthy recent auctions.

This lovely Glittering Bluish Golden PROOFLIKE (obverse) with High Wire Edge on a comparative scale should now bring between $3,000 and 3,500.00

LIBERTY SEATED HALF DOLLARS—CHOICE

1243. **1860-O Glittering Iridescent Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!**

1244. 1861-S Uncirculated iridescent, lovely smooth satin-like surfaces. Hawn brought 475.00

1245. 1862 With **Motto GOD OUR** TRUST, Judd 293, regular dies with motto added. silver, **BRILLIANT GOLDEN GEM PROOF! RARE.** Should now bring over ... 500.00

1246. 1862-S Glittering Golden Uncirculated, MEDIUM "s" which Scott states **"VERY RARE IN UNC."** The Hawn (usual Large S) brought $350 surely this **MUCH RARER MEDIUM "s"** now worth double.

1247. 1863 Brilliant Golden Uncirculated. Hawn coin brought $370; probably now worth closer to 500.00

1248. 1864 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! WE CANNOT IMAGINE A LOVLIER SPECIMEN!

1249. 1866 WITH MOTTO (first year) GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!

1873-CC NO ARROWS HALF DOLLAR UNCIRCULATED

1250. **1873-CC NO ARROWS, GLITTERING GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! Only the faint bag-mark left of date in right field prevents us from using superlatives. EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE STATE OF PRESERVATION! The Hawn specimen (Stack's 8/73 auction) brought** **2,300.00**

1251. **1874 ARROWS,** Glittering golden Wire Edge PROOF, some faint hairlines visible when closely examined.

1252. 1876 Brilliant Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE GEM! PRISTINE!

1253. 1879 Brilliant Iridescent Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK WIRE EDGE, PROOF-LIKE GEM! Scott states **"Non-proofs are rarer than proofs"**! RARE.

1254. **1879 Brilliant Uncirculated. WIRE EDGE! GEM. RARE.**

1255. 1879 Brilliant Wire Edge PROOF, CHOICE. Scarce.

1256. 1881 Brilliant Wire Edge PROOF, GEM! Scarce.

1257. **1882 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! PRISTINE! We do not see how a lovlier specimen could exist.**

1258. 1882 Brilliant Wire Edge PROOF, CHOICE.

1259. 1882 Brilliant Golden WIRE EDGE PROOF, CHOICE.

1260. **1883 GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUE WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF. PRISTINE!**

1261. **1884 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! PERFECTION!**

1262. 1885 Brilliant Wire Edge PROOF, CHOICE.

1263. **1885 BRILLIANT GOLDEN WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!**

1264. **1887 BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN PROOFLIKE GEM! Wholly prooflike surface. Much rarer than proof.**

1265. 1888 Brilliant WIRE EDE GEM PROOF.

1266. **1889 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! A lovelier specimen could not exist.**

1267. **1890 Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE GEM!**

1268. **1891 Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE GEM!**

BARBER HALF DOLLARS — CHOICE

1269. 1892-O Brilliant bluish Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

1270. 1892-S Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE GEM!

1271. 1893 Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated GEM! SUPERB!
1272. 1893-S Brilliant Uncirculated, faint "bag-marks" but still Choice.

1273. 1894-O BRILLIANT GOLDEN PROOFLIKE GEM! COMPLETE PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES! POSSIBLY "BRANCH-MINT PROOF"! Must be seen to be believed.

1274. 1895-S Brilliant Golden PROOFLIKE GEM!
1275. 1897-O Brilliant "Frosty" Golden Uncirculated GEM! RARE.
1276. 1898-O BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE GEM! MAGNIFICENT!
1277. 1899-O Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated GEM!
1278. 1899 S Brilliant PROOFLIKE GEM! PRISTINE!

1279. 1903-S Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Among the rarest Barbers thus.

1280. 1908-D Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated GEM!
1281. 1908-O Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated GEM!
1282. 1912 Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated GEM!

1283. 1913 Glittering Golden Uncirculated GEM! RARE.

1284. 1913 GLITTERING IRIDESCENT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! We cannot imagine a lovlier coin.

1285. 1913-D Brilliant golden Uncirculated, CHOICE. Low coinage.

1286. 1913-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED GEM! PERFECTION! Must be seen to be believed. The Delp coin (Stack's 11/72) brought $575; surely a year later this remarkable specimen worth closer to 1,000.00

THE LOWEST COINAGE BARBER HALF

1287. 1914 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED GEM! PERFECTION! A choicer one couldn't exist. The Delp coin a year ago brought $650; surely this "Fantastic" specimen now worth over 1,000.00

1288. 1915 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF! Only 450 struck (second rarest proof).

LIBERTY WALKING HALVES — CHOICE

1289. 1916 Brilliant Bluish Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1290. 1916 Brilliant slightly golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK. CHOICE.
1291. 1916-D Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

1292. 1916-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!

1293. 1917-D on reverse, Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!

1294. 1934-D Brilliant golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1295. 1934-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1296. 1935-D Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!
1297. 1935-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

1298. 1937-1947-P-D-S COMPLETE SET 30 in plastic holder, most Brilliant Uncirculated, a few bluish to golden. All Sharply Struck except "S" mint 1940-41-42-44-45 which are much sharper struck than most, but still not quite as sharp as the others.

1794 SILVER DOLLAR

1299. **1794 EXTREMELY FINE AND SHARPLY STRUCK! SUPERIOR IN STRIKE TO THE ONE IN KREISBERG 9/10/73 SALE!** That coin, while being "Brilliant Uncirculated, choice" had a **"small mint abrasion on third star", also "showing heavy clash marks around centers, together with the characteristic weakness at left on either side, the flattening being directly attributed to the die injuries, and common to this issue. Of only 1758 coined on October 15, 1794, not quite fifty specimens are extant today in all grades, most of these having been melted down for bullion in the early 1800's."**

The specimen herein offered is from **THE EXCESSIVELY RARE EARLY DIE STATE with Left Stars Being Fairly Sharp And Complete! THE EDGE MILLING IS SHARP AND COMPLETE ALL THE WAY AROUND! Even the DATE IS FULL AND SHARP! THE REVERSE EDGE MILLING IS SHARP AND IS VIRTUALLY COMPLETE ALL AROUND** Except For The Tiny Portion Between "States" and "OF". **THE LEGEND IS ENTIRELY SHARP!! Superb lustrous golden bluish patina! THE SHARPEST STRUCK SPECIMEN WE CAN RECALL CATALOGING!**

The demand for "The First Dollar Of The U.S." has been particularly strong the past year resulting in the one in the above Kreisberg sale bringing $51,000.00. We note another Uncirculated specimen being offered in the coming Superior auction of 10/1/73, wherein they expect it to realize **"($75,000.00—UP)"**. Surely this remarkable aesthetically appealing specimen worth at least half.

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1795 TYPE II PROOFLIKE DOLLAR

1300. **1795 B-14, Bust Type, Small Eagle,** variety with bust centered too far left. **GLITTERING GOLDEN BLUE IRIDESCENT PROOFLIKE, WIRE EDGE SHARPLY STRUCK SPECIMEN! The Wire Edge Is Sharp Enough To Cut You! A "Fantastic specimen acquired not too long ago as a "PROOF" at $25,000.00** We prefer the term "Prooflike" or "PRESENTATION PIECE" rather than Proof when applied to these early coins. They did the best they could with what equipment they had, but they did not have the facilities to properly make Proofs as they did later, starting in 1817. Regardless of what you call it, it is certainly **HIGHLY DESIRABLE FOR "TYPE", DATE, OR VARIETY.**

We have no comment to make about the $25,000.00 purchase price except to say we have seen specimens not as desirable priced this year at prices varying to $25,000.00. **There have also been some "Five Figures" auction prices.**

As we go to press, we note on page 10 of Coin World an ad offering a **1795 Small Eagle Ch. AU at $7,950.00 with the comment "A BU recently WHOLSEALED at $21,500.00." This would then make this "PROOF" worth at least $50,000.00.** It is almost impossible to keep up with the rapidly changing values. Some coins that we sold a month ago we would now like to buy back — if it were possible. PLATE

1797 SMALL LETTERS 9X7 STARS $1 — CHOICE "CONDITION-CENSUS" RAREST MAJOR "TYPE" DOLLAR 1794-1803

1301. **1797 B-2, STARS 9X7, SMALL LETTERS, About Extremely Fine with The SHARPEST STRUCK EAGLE WE CAN RECALL SEEING!** The eagle is all most invariably struck weakly; this one is **amazingly sharp!** Only nominal even wear and without any nicks, scratches and other abrasions which seem to plague the few specimens we have seen over the years. Attractive bluish golden patina. Scott states **"Rev. always flatly struck. High R6 (13 to 16 known). Unknown in unc."** Other references estimate either fewer known or perhaps 3 or 4 more known of the **ONLY 342 STRUCK!** The next lowest coinage 1794-1803 is the 1758 struck in 1794! LESS THAN HALF THE AMOUNT KNOWN OF THAT FOR 1794!

OBVIOUSLY, THE RAREST SILVER DOLLAR 1794 THROUGH 1803. THE MOST UNDERVALUED SILVER COIN! We cannot think of another Major Variety in silver of this great rarity valued at such a ridiculous price compared to its rarity. In addition, **this is "CONDITION-CENSUS"** as the top six contain an "About Very Fine" coin (see Superior 10/1/73 description). Easily worth several thousand dollars.

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1798 15 STARS, SMALL EAGLE DOLLAR "CONDITION-CENSUS"

1302. 1798 B-2a, TYPE 1796 WITH 15 STARS & SMALL EAGLE, Near Uncirculated with lovely blue and gray patina, some original Mint Luster, SHARPLY STRUCK WITH FULL EDGE DENTILATION AROUND BOTH SIDES! VERY RARE VARIETY. Similar condition to the Ostheimer coin in Superior 10/1/73 sale described as "About Uncirculated" and "One of two finest known of this well known variety". Could this be the other specimen referred to? Surely this TOP-CONDITION SPECIMEN worth into the "Mid Four Figures".

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1799 OVER 98 DOLLAR

1303. 1799 OVER 98, B-1, Heraldic Eagle, Extremely Fine & Sharp, attractive well-struck specimen VER.Y RARE (Rarity 5). Easily worth 1,000.00

1803 DOLLAR UNCIRCULATED

1304. 1803 Large Re-Engraved 3, B-6, **GLITTERING GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED WITH RAISED EDGE AND SHIMMERING LUSTER, STARS COME TO A POINT!** Acquired as **"CONDITION-CENSUS".** In strong demand for "Type". We have seen specimens purporting to be "Uncirculated" priced to $6,000.00. It will be interesting to see what this one brings.

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1305. 1804 SILVER DOLLAR. **"In all the history of numismatics of the entire world, there is not today and there never has been a single coin which was and is the subject of so much romance, interest, and comment and upon which so muh has been written and so much discussed as the U.S. dollar of 1804."** This comment was made in 1941 by B. Max Mehl in the catalog for the sale of the Dunham collection and which included an 1804 dollar.

In fact, a special book, THE FANTASTIC 1804 DOLLAR, was written by Eric P. Newman and Kenneth E. Bressett with Walter H. Breen and Lynn Glasser being Associates in Research (published 1962 by Whitman).

This particular speciman is The Silver Plated Copper Electrotype **MADE IN THE PHILADELPHIA MINT BY W. E. DU BOIS.** The last appearance of an electrotype 1804 dollar was in the New Netherlands 53rd Auction June, 1959 described:

"1804 Silver Dollar. Copper Electrotype Made In The Philadelphia Mint by W. E. Du Bois, from the Mint's plain edged restrike (Class II, now in the Smithsonian). "Copy" under right claw. Full original sharpness, **Listed as A. W. 26** (Adams Woodin book on U.S. Pattern, Trial, And Experimental Pieces and described there as "UNIQUE"; published 1913. Now replaced by Judd's book on patterns and also described therein). **a copper trial piece** (Adams never examined it); listed as No. 5 by the late B. Max Mehl in his enumeration of 1804 dollars supplementary to his 1927 reprint of Hazeltine's Type Table. **OBTAINED FROM W. E. DU BOIS AT THE MINT, Ca. 1860,** by Dr. Spiers; the Spiers collection was bequeathed to the Society of California Pioneers, and a catalog issued around 1877; the Society exhibited the collection at the San Francisco Mint later, ca. 1906, the collection was broken up, Waldo Newcomer obtaining this piece among many others; Newcomer left it to his son, from whom Mr. Straus obtained it. Mentioned on page 172 of the 18th edition of the Standard Catalogus. THE ONLY ELECTROTYPE WE HAVE EVER SOLD AND THE ONLY ONE WE EVER EXPECT TO. Valuable for its historical interest."

It is mounted in a custom-made plastic holder lettered "UNITED STATES OF AMERICA SILVER DOLLAR 1804". The holder is attached to a leatherette cover lettered "U.S. SILVER DOLLAR 1804". Included is also a Color Photo (nearly double diameter) of the obverse and reverse of the 1804 on one side; the other side printed:

"The 1804 silver dollar is one of the most publicized rarities in the United States coin series. The coin at the left is RAREST AMONG THE RARE: IT IS UNIQUE, THE ONLY SURVIVING SPECIMEN WITH A PLAIN EDGE. (The photograph is slightly larger than actual size; originals are approximately 1½ inches in diameter.) Museum of History and Technology. SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION."

We agree with New Netherlands: **" only electrotype we have ever sold and the only one we ever expect to."**

The 1959 Guidebook indicates that the then two most recent records for the 1804 Silver Dollar were for the Type 2 (of which several are known): "Idler Specimen sold for $3,125.00 in 1947." "Davis-Hale Specimen sold for $8,000.00 in 1954".

The present Guidebook indicates that the above "Idler Specimen sold for $80,000.00 in 1972". Quite a rise from its previous record of $3,125.00. It was acquired by a dealer who proudly displays it and values it "around $150,000.00". It is the only specimen we know of that might be presently available (if he decides to sell it).

AS A "MINT ISSUED 1804 DOLLAR" WE EXPECT SPIRITED BIDDING "WELL INTO FIVE FIGURES". PLATE

1836 GOBRECHT FLYING EAGLE DOLLAR

1306. 1836 Liberty Seated, NO STARS, FLYING EAGLE in field of 26 stars (states). Generally acknowledged as the "Most Beautiful Silver U.S. Coin." Only 1,000 struck December 31, 1836. **GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOF**, close examination with glass reveals only a very few of the usual hairlines which seem to be characteristic of about 95% of the specimens we have seen in the Forty Years We Have Been Professional Numismatists. Mounted in custom plastic lettered holder. The Hawn coin (Stack's August auction) described as "some hairlines in the field" brought $2,500.0. We believe this popular "**BETTER THAN AVERAGE PROOF**" will now realize closer to $3,000.00. **PLATE.**

VERY RARE "INVERTED REVERSE" 1836 DOLLAR

1307. **1836 STRUCK WITH REVERSE DIE INVERTED. Only 600 struck on March 31, 1837 AFTER PASSAGE OF THE LAW ON JANUARY 18, 1837 AUTHORIZING DOLLARS TO BE STRUCK WITH THIS WEIGHT!** Nearly **TWICE AS RARE.** as the usual 1836 Gobrecht Dollar encountered. **BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! SUPERIOR TO ANY SPECIMEN WE CAN RECALL SEEING IN RECENT YEARS!** Mounted in custom plastic lettered holder. Surely this rarity in this remarkable state of preservation now worth over $5,000.00 **PLATE.**

UNIQUE "UNLISTED" 1836 DOLLAR

1308. 1836 STRUCK WITH REVERSE DIE INVERTED as above but the tiny "C. Gobrecht" on base has been cleverly removed in order to create a new variety **SIMILAR TO 1838 WITHOUT NAME OF DESIGNER an base!** Obviously done a good many years ago as it now has a **LOVELY GLITTERING BLUE AND IRIDESCENT PATINA. PROOF WITH REMARKABLY SHARP FEATHERS ON EAGLE!**

To the best of our knowledge, **THIS SPECIMEN IS UNIQUE!** As stated in the previous lot, a choice untampered specimen of this variety should now be worth over $5,000.00. Whether the creation of this new "variety" detracts or enhances the desirability of this unusual and popular coin must be a matter of personal determination. It could be argued both ways.

1838 DOLLAR HUB TRIAL PIECE

1309. Acquired 4 years ago described **"1838 INCUSED HUB TRIAL of Flying Eagle in plain field (Judd 84), on large copper planchet, envelope marked "Judd plate coin; ex Lenox Lohr Coll."**. There is also a pencilled price of $1,500.00. The regular 1838 Gobrecht dollar is listed in the Guidebook at $3,750.00." Now, 4 years later, the Gobrechts are even more desirable and of course, more valuable. **PLATE.**

"GEM" 1839 GOBRECHT FLYING EAGLE DOLLAR "FINEST KNOWN"?

1310. 1839 No Designer name, 13 obverse stars; Eagle in plain field, Reeded edge. ONLY 300 STRUCK. **GLITTERING BLUE AND IRIDESCENT GEM PROOF! PRISTINE "CONDITION 70"! THE CHOICEST SPECIMEN WE HAVE ENCOUNTERED IN OUR FORTY YEARS AS PROFESSIONAL NUMISMATISTS! A choicer or lovelier specimen could not possibly exist!** If we are a bit over-enthusiastic about this beauty, please bear with us. Attribute it to "collector" in us. Yes, we still have a thrill when we catalog such a highly desirable specimen.

It is difficult to place a value on such a specimen, as it may be a good many years before an equal specimen (if it exists) comes upon the market. **PLATE.**

1839 "MINT ERROR" DOLLAR PROOF UNIQUE

1311. Acquired a year ago described "**1839 THINNER PLANCHET ON SMALL PORTION OF EDGE, otherwise AN ABSOLUTELY PERFECT PROOF.** Since proofs are carefully made for collectors, the mint closely scrutinizes them so that no errors are sent out. **THIS IS THE ONLY MINT ERROR REGULAR PROOF WHICH WE KNOW OF.** Pedigree goes back to the New Netherlands Coin Co., who also made the same statement. **IN ADDITION, it has an INVERTED REVERSE** (Extremely Rare — many times rarer than normal reverse). **THIS ERROR COIN IS UNIQUE.**" The present owner was fortunate in successfully acquiring it at what we believe to be a real "bargain"; only $4,250.00. An outstanding rarity such as this should surely now be worth colser to $10,000.00.

"1846 OVER 44" PROOF DOLLAR EXCESSIVELY RARE & "FINEST KNOWN"

1312. Lot 1729 of "Empire Collection" (Stack's 11/57) auction described "**1846 The so-called 1846 OVER 44 or re-engraved date. Brilliant iridescent Proof. Considered excessively rare in the Parmalee sale.**" It is a lovely specimen indeed, easily qualifying as a "PRISTINE GEM"! Identifiable by microscopic planchet mark on raised edge below "O" in ONE of reverse.

The 18th edition of the Standard Catalogue of U.S. Coins (Wayte Raymond) lists it as **1846 OVER 44.** It is the **ONLY LISTED OVERDATE DOLLAR IN THE SERIES!** Other numismatists (as stated by Stack's) claim it is a re-engraved date. Regardless of what opinion is accepted, we do know it is **EXECSSIVELY RARE! Only 6 or 7 said to be known. ONLY STRUCK IN PROOF.** What few other specimens we have seen in our Forty years as Professional Numismatists, have acquired wear, nicks, abrasions, etcetera in their many years of existence. Perhaps (theoretically) another equal specimen may exist, but **certainly no superior one!**

If this "Fantastic" Rarity of the "Most Popular Series Today" is not worth "Well Into Five Figures", then no dollar is worth what it is bringing today! If the 1893-S dollar is worth the $21,000.00 one brought in Paramount's May, 1973 New York sale, then what is this **MANY TIMES RARER 1846 Over 44** worth? Incidentally, we saw an 1893-S dollar at the Boston A.N.A. convention in August, priced at $35,000.00. It is impossible to keep up with the new records being established almost weekly. The fallacy with these new records is that they are being established (for the most part) on "scarce" or "rare" coins. **Very Rare and Excessively Rare coins are offered so infrequently that most do not have the opportunity to rise to their true value in relation to the lesser rarities.**

1851 "ORIGINAL" HIGH DATE DOLLAR PROOFLIKE "GEM"

1313. **1851 "ORIGINAL" with "High Date"** (not to be confused with the generally offered "Centered Date" Restrike). **BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED with PROOFLIKE SURFACE BOTH SIDES, SHARP STRUCK WITH WIRE EDGE!** We accept its attribution of "GEM" in spite of the microscopic imperfections visible with a glass. It is so much choicer than the others we have seen over the years that we do not feel this accolade of "GEM" should be withheld. Mounted in lettered plastic holder.

We saw a specimen at the Boston A.N.A. August convention priced $10,000.00. It was not as choice as this remarkable piece. PLATE.

1851 COPPER RESTRIKE PROOF DOLLAR

1314. **1851 RESTRIKE PROOF, trial piece in copper, Judd-132, BLAZING RED FLAWLESS PROOF!** Probably **THE FINEST OF THE ONLY 5 KNOWN!** The restrike silver proof in this condition (about 40 to 50 said to have been struck) would probably now bring over $5,000.00. While this lovely copper specimen is many times rarer, it is not as popular and will most likely bring somewhat less. PLATE

As we go to press, we note on page 5 of Coin World an ad offering a "copper" specimen at $1,900.00. Since the exact condition wasn't stated, we strongly doubt if it compares to this GEM.

1854 PROOF SILVER DOLLAR

1315. **1854 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! EXTREMELY RARE, PARTICULARLY IN THIS REMARKABLE STATE OF PRESEVATION.** Superior to the specimen offered by a leading West Coast dealer in their August price list at $3,995.00. PLATE.

1857 PROOF SILVER DOLLAR

1316. **1857 GLITTEING BLUE AND IRIDESCENT GEM PROOF! EXQUISITE!** We do not see how a lovelier and more desirable specimen could exist! The true rarity of this date in proof has been masked by the occasional offering of a prooflike 1857 as a Proof. Of course the difference is readily apparent when the two are compared. A notation on the envelope has "Sept. 30, 1970 Coin World Bowers-Ruddy $1350". We checked and sure enough, "Bowers and Ruddy Galleries" had a page ad (page 19) offering a proof at $1,350.00. Surely now, 3 years later, this exqisite specimen worth at least double.

1317. **1859-0 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARPLY STRUCK with CONSIDERABLE PROOFLIKE SURFACE. Far superior to most specimens seen with very few of the usual "bag-marks".**

LIBERTY HEAD "MORGAN" DOLLARS

1318. 1878 8 Feathers, 1878 7 Over 8, 1878-CC, Brilliant unc. Prooflike, Choice.
1319. 1879-O, 80-O-S, 86(2) Brilliant Uncirculated, Choice.
1320. 1880-CC Third reverse, Virtually Uncirculated, has been cleaned. 21-D same.
1321. 1922-P-D-S, 23, 25 Brilliant Uncirculated. Choice.
1322. 1880-O, 81-S, 84-O Brilliant Uncirculated, Choice.
1323. 1881 BRILLIANT GOLDEN PROOF, CHOICE.
1324. 1882 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!
1325. 1884 BRILLIANT GOLDEN GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!
1326. 1885 BRILLIANT GOLDEN GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!
1327. 1886. BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN PROOF, CHOICE. Tiny carbon spot.
1328. 1890 BRILLIANT GOLDEN PROOF. CHOICE.
1329. 1891 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF. PRISTINE!
1330. 1892 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF although curl over ear not fully struck.

1892-S CHOICE UNCIRCULATED DOLLAR

1331. **1892-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK WITH FULL SLIGHTLY GOLDEN LUSTER! EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS CHOICE STRIKE AND STATE OF PRESERVATION!** The coin in Paramouunt's May New York sale brought $12,000.00. A dealer offered to sell us a specimen at the Boston A.N.A. convention in August at $15,000.00. It was a nice specimen; about the equal of this one. It will be interesting to see what the "market" will be for this popular rarity by the time of this sale.

1893-S CHOICE UNCIRCULATED DOLLAR

1332. **1893-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK WITH FULL SLIGHTLY GOLDEN LUSTER. SOME PROOFLIKE SURFACE! A REMARKABLE CHOICE SPECIMEN OF THE "RAREST MORGAN DOLLAR."** The one in Paramount's May sale realized $21,000.00. We saw a specimen at the Boston A.N.A. convention in August priced $35,000.00. The owner called it "MS-70". It is difficult to remember how this choice specimen compared with that one at Boston. Possibly a "more perfect" specimen could exist but until someone shows us an "absolutely perfect" one, we feel this coin is about "As Choice A Specimen As Can Be Obtained".

1895 CHOICE PROOF DOLLAR

1333. **1895 BRILLIANT GOLDEN PROOF!** We were about to call it a "GEM" but a glass reveals faint evidence of cleaning some time ago, as it has now acquired a lovely light golden patina. A "proof only" date in strong demand. The Guidebook value of $6,000.00 has already been exceeded. Present value?

1895-S CHOICE UNCIRCULATED DOLLAR

1334. **1895-S BRILLIANT GOLDEN UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH PROOFLIKE SURFACE!** Only the few "bag marks" keeps us from calling it a "GEM." Really Rare so choice. Records into the "Mid Four Figures". The Paramount coin sold (May, N.Y.) at $4,500.00.

1335. 1896 Glittering Iridescent PROOF, "GEM" except for faint slide-mark on cheek.

1336. 1896-S Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Far superior to most seen. RARE. The Paramount N. Y. May sale coin brought $600; present value?

1337. 1897 BRILLIANT IRIDESCENT GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!

1338. 1903-S LOVELY "FROSTY" IRIDESCENT SHARPLY STRUCK UNCIRCULATED GEM! Highly desirable. The Paramount May N.Y. sale coin brought $1,900; at Boston we saw one not quite the equal of this gem priced $3,000.00. Present value? PLATE.

1339. 1904 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF. Only 650 struck.

1340. 1904-O Brilliant Prooflike Sharp Struck Gem; 1884-O Brilliant unc. Gem.

1341. 1904-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK PROOFLIKE GEM! Paramount May N.Y. one brought $500; we have seen somewhat higher prices since.

1879-O PROOF DOLLAR - SECOND KNOWN

1342. **1879-O BRILLIANT GEM PROOF WITH SLIGHTLY GOLDEN PERIPHERY TONING! A fantastic specimen which carries its own credentials. The cameo sharpness of hair and eagle's breast feathers, completely polished surface, and raised edge completely around both sides (similar to Philadelphia proofs) immediately establishes it as being struck at the Philadelphia Mint intentially as a proof.**

Only 12 proofs were struck to commemorate the reopening of the New Orleans Mint on February 20,. 1879. The first known specimen was sold May 4, 1973 at Central States auction by Rarcoa. It had some detractions such as minute rim marks, etc. It brought $7,500.00 The other branch-mint proof sold recently enough to have any meaning was the 1893-CC (supposedly 12 struck to commemorate the closing of the CC mint) auctioned by Rarcoa at Jan. 1973 F.U.N. convention. It was in superior condition to the 1879-O sold in May and brought $18,000.00 after spirited bidding. Since then, after diligent searching, 3 more 1893-CC proofs have been discovered but only this one additional 1879-O!

A letter of authenticity by Walter Breen accompanies this remarkable specimen and goes into great detail.

We believe the superior condition of this 1879-O (compared to the other) will elicit bidding comparable to the 1893-CC or even surpass it since it is rarer than the 1893-CC.

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1921 PROOF LIBERTY HEAD DOLLAR

1343. **BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN PROOF WITH RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES!** Attributed as such by Walter Breen. A certificate of authenticity accompanies it which includes "This piece is made from the same dies which were used for a couple dozen Proofs, showing the die scratch from upper left corner of second U in UNUM to border. The Proof in ANS is from this die. Unfortunately, like the majority of known specimens from these dies, this piece was drastically cleaned at some time in its history, obscuring its original Proof surface, etc. Unimpaired coins have sold in middle four figure prices, etc." Signed "FIRST COINVESTORS INC. Walter Breen, Vice President".

The Guidebook indicates its great rarity by not pricing it. The three-year old Scott Catalogue lists it "R7. 5,500.00".

TRADE DOLLARS

1344. 1873 GLITTERING BLUISH WIRE EDGE PROOF. Choicer than most. SCARCE.

1345. 1873 Glittering golden Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK, PROOFLIKE. Scarce.

1346. 1877-S Brilliant golden Uncirculated GEM! SCARCE THUS.

1347. 1878 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE SHARPLY STRUCK PROOF, CHOICE! A minute carbon fleck keeps us from calling it a "GEM". SCARCE DATE.

1348. 1876 Counterstamped with over a dozen chop-marks attesting to its full weight (and its intended use in the Orient). Interesting.

1349. 1877 "BOX TALER", hollowed out and hinged to contain miniature photo. Said to have been sold at 1876 CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION. Interesting.

PATTERN SILVER DOLLARS

1350. 1870, J-1017, Longacre's (LONGACRE below base) Indian Princess obverse combined with regular die reverse, **lovely GLITTERING RED AND BLUISH COPPER PROOF WITH WIRE EDGE,** a pinpoint edge nick prevents us from using superlatives. **RARITY 7 (only 4 to 12 known). PLATE.**

1351. 1871 J-1146, Similar but LONGACRE omitted, struck in silver, **BRILLIANT SLIGHTLY GOLDEN WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! RARITY 7 (only 4 to 12 known).** Deserving a "run-away" price in this remarkable state of preservation. PLATE.

1352. 1878, J-1554, Barber's design of Liberty Head and Erect Eagle, silver, **BRILLIANT LIGHT GOLDEN PROOF,** while sharper struck than some specimens seen over the years, the center curl is not fully struck up. We note a specimen in Stack's March sale brought $525; present value?

COMMEMORATIVE HALF DOLLARS - HAWAIIAN, ETC.

1353. 1928 HAWAIIAN, Brilliant Uncirculated but close inspection reveals it has been "dipped" (cleaned). RARE. Catalogs unc. $1,000.00. This worth?

1354. 1934 MARYLAND, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. Catalogs 75.00

1355. 1926-S OREGON, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. Catalogs 40.00

Consignment California

CHOICE 1793 HALF CENT

1356. 1793 EXTREMELY FINE & SHARP, only nominal wear on this well-centered, Sharply Struck specimen, attractive chocolate brown color, slight edge dinge visible when closely inspected. Popular "ONE YEAR ONLY" TYPE. Should exceed 2,500.00

ATTRACTIVE 1793 LARGE CENT

1357. 1793 S-8, WREATH, Vine Bars edge, Very Fine & Sharp, attractive brown and chocolate, remarkably free from the minor abrasions which seem to plague most specimens seen. Well worth upwards of 1,500.00

3¢ NICKEL & 3¢ SILVER PROOFS

1358. 3¢ NICKEL 1879, 1883 Bluish golden PROOFS, some minute carbon spots.
1359. 3¢ SILVER 1865 Bluish Wire Edge PROOF. Scarce.

MINT STATE 1800 LIBEKTY HALF DIME

1360. **1880 LIBEKTY, Brilliant Bluish Golden UNCIRCULATED, "NEEDLE-SHARP" HAIR with only silght flat strike below hair knot and at extreme bottom of bust just above date;** the die bulge at top of shield and sinking at right wing tip are less pronounced than generally seen. **RARE EARLIER DIE STATE, MORE SHARPLY STRUCK THAN THE HAWN COIN! FULL MINT LUSTER!** The Hawn coin (Stack's August auction) brought $2,100; surely this remarkable specimen now worth closer to $3,000.00.

1840 & 1845 HALF DIMES

1361. 1840 NO DRAPERY, Brilliant & Golden UNCIRCULATED, Sharp Struck GEM!
1362. 1845 Drapery, faintly recut 5, Uncirculated with bluish golden luster.

1882 BLIND MAN'S NICKEL

1363. From a 1963 sale described:

"1882 REGULAR TYPE BUT FIVE EQUALLY SPACED BARS ON THE EDGE" so a blind man could tell what coin it was". A BEAUTIFUL BRILLIANT PROOF. ONLY 2 OR 3 STRUCK (Judd R.8) A MOST INTERESTING AND UNUSUAL COIN. Certainly one with **"MORE OF A STORY"** and **RARER** than the much-publicized **1913 LIBERTY HEAD NICKEL** of which 5 are known and which is valued at $50,000.00. Dr. Judd assigns a nominal value of only $2,000.00 to this Great Rarity in his book published in 1959.

SINCE IT DOESN'T COME UP FOR SALE, ANY VALUE ASSIGNED TO IT WOULD BE GUESSWORK. It should belong in the class of coins such as the **1866 NO MOTTO 25¢ which catalogs at $24,500.00 or the 1913 LIBERTY HEAD NICKEL valued at $50,000.00.** You can be sure it will be a **"SHOW-STOPPER"** when properly displayed at any coin show or convention!"

The GREAT RARITY OF THIS "COIN WITH A STORY" HAS PREVENTED IT FROM COMING UPON THE MARKET IN ORDER TO ESTABLISH NEW RECORDS OVER THE YEARS. For instance, Judd changed its theorettical value from $2,000.00 in 1959 to $2,500.00 in 1962 with the Second Edition.

SINCE THEN, IT HASN'T BEEN CHANGED! We note the 1913 LIBERTY HEAD NICKEL was purchased by a dealer in 1972 for $100,000.00, and presumably its present selling price is "Substantially More". **We expect this RARER "BLIND MAN'S NICKEL—a "COIN WITH A STORY"— TO bring well into "Five Figures"' PLATE.**

1918 OVER 17-D NICKEL

1364. 1918-D, 8 OVER 7, acquired as "EF/VF" at $950.00. We believe this grading is a trifle enthusnastic although it is choicer than most seen. RARE. The strong increase in demand for choice specimens of this rarity could now send bidding over its cost.

CHOICE DIMES & 1919-S QUARTER

1365. 1841 With Drapery, Uncirculated golden, choice.
1366. 1897-0 Glittering golden Uncirculated, choicer than most. SCARCE.
1367. 1942, 2 OVER 1, very close to Uncirculated, only slight friction, almost full luster. SCARCE. Cat. unc. 650.00.
1368. QUARTER 1919-S Uncirculated golden, Sharper Struck than most. Cat. 350.00

1914 CHOICE PROOF SET — RAREST DATE

1369. 1914 PROOF SET 5 in plastic, 50¢ Glittering Golden, 25¢ Brilliant, 10¢ Brilliant, 5c Golden Matte, 1c Red Iridescent Matte. UNUSUALLY CHOICE! ONLY 380 STRUCK! Of those still in existence, very few can equal this choice state of preservation. Individually, they would probably sell at $2,250 to $2,500 in this choice state or preservation—provided they were available.

1859 CHOICEST NON-PROOF SILVER DOLLAR SEEN

1370 $1 1859 GLITTERING BLUE & IRIDESCENT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH PRACTICALLY COMPLETE PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES, GEM! PRISTINE. A LOVELIER SPECIMEN COULD NOT EXIST! Careful examination of the unpolished surface showing throught the obverse and reverse shields establishes beyond a doubt that this is not a proof. INCOMPARABLE! Of course, in this condition, it is many time rarer than than the proof.

1876 CENTENNIAL DOLLAR PROOF

1371. 1876 "CENTENNIAL" DOLLAR, BRILLIANT IRIDESCENT SHARP STRUCK PROOF WITH RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES! A "GEM" except for the light line in field which closely resembles a die break. Authorized by Congrbess for "CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION". Popular. RARE SO CHOICE.

1939 CANADA PERFECT PROOF DOLLAR

1372. 1939 PERFECT BRILLIANT PROOF SILVER DOLLAR WITH EXQUISITE LIGHT GOLDEN BLUISH PERIPHERY! A lovlievr specimen could not exist. Acquired from Wayte Raymond shortly after it was struck. PLATE.

1373. From a sale two years ago described:

"1792 LIBERTY PARENT OF SCIENCE & INDUSTRY" around bust, reverse **"UNIITED STATES OF AMERICA 1/100"** around wreath with **"ONE CENT"**. Edge Lettered **"TO BE ESTEEMED" * BE USEFUL* "**. The bust is **Extremely Fine** with date and obverse legend being **very close to Uncirculated** (only barest friction), pinpoint edge nick. The wreath is **Extremely Fine** with some evident die failure at center resulting in ONE CENT, not being fully struck up, the outer legend and fraction are particularly strong with only barest friction. **A TOP GRADE SPECIMEN OF ONE OF THE MOST DESIRABLE AND RAREST OF ALL U.S. COINS!**

There is a full page ad accompanying this specimen **(April 27, 1962 World page 11** describing this coin as **"Boldly struck on the obverse, and reverse is well struck with the exception of N of ONE, however it is an Extremely Fine to About Uncirculated specimen. Choice chocolate toning. Truly a great gem at only $10,000.00".)**

It is listed on page 58 of Guidebook under **"FIRST UNITED STATES MINT ISSUES"** but it is not priced due to its great rarity. The Scott's Comprehensive Catalogus And Encyclopedia of U.S. Coins has it on page 194 as **"3-B, HIGH R7. (4 TO 6 KNOWN) WITH A VALUE OF $15,000.00 (but does not give condition).** We feel this choice specimen worth $20,000.00."

The market for Early American coins, particularly the **RARE** and **CHOICE** has changed markedly the past two years with recent advances being so great that they should be termed **"Explosive"** in nature. **Many have recently brought 3 and 4 times the 3 years-old Scott Catalogue values.** As the **FIRST UNITED STATES CENT** (as well as a "Pattern" - Listed in Judd). **IT IS EXCESSIVELY RARE AND IN THE STRONGEST POSSIBLE DEMAND!** In addition, **IT IS "TOP-GRADE".**

We believe it to now be worth a minimum of $50,000.00 and would not be surprised to see it bring closer to $100,000.00.

PLATE

1374. **1792 HALF DISME,** bust Liberty Head left (some claim it to be bust of Martha Washington) **LIB. PAR. OF SCIENCE & INDUSTRY 1792** around bust; rev. Flying eagle, **UNI. STATES OF AMERICA, HALF DISME,** silver. Lovely "TOP-GRADE" specimen. The obverse is close to **Uncirculated,** having only slight friction. The reverse has a shade more friction, qualifying it as a Sharp Extremely Fine. Most specimens seen over the years have been poor, fair, good or even holed or defective. Increasingly difficult to obtain so choice. **STRUCK FROM SILVERPLATE FURNISHED BY GEORGE WASHINGTON.** The coins were then given to Washington, who gave them away to friends. Washington mentions them in his Message to Congress in November of 1792.

Breen in his "UNITED STATES HALF DIMES: A SUPPLEMENT" states on page one:

> "Of the most extreme rarity in Mint State. **PROBABLY THE MOST DESIRABLE AMERICAN SMALL SILVER COIN.** Snowden (1860), Newlin (1883) and Valentine agreed in calling this a regular issue, etc."

It is difficult to know what such a choice specimen of the **"Most Desirable American Small Silver Coin"** might bring in this strong market. Perhaps close to, or even over "Five Figures". PLATE

1861 DEMAND NOTE

1375. $5 F2, PAYABLE ON DEMAND at Philadelphia, About EXTREMELY FINE. Exceptional Note. VERY RARE, SO CHOICE! Should realize into "Four Figures."

LEGAL TENDER NOTES

1376. $1 F16 1862 New, crisp CHOICE. In custom made plastic holder for display. Worth over catalog of 125.00
1377. $1 F19 1874 Allison-Spinner, New, crisp except faint center crease. Cat. new 175.00
1378. $1 F37 1917 Elliott-Burke, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp SUPER! Worth 45.00
1379. $2 1875 Allison-Wyman, New, crisp, close top right corner. Cat. 135.00
1380. $2 F57 1917 Teehee-Burke in custom plastic holder, crisp, SUPERB! Worth 60.00
1381. $10 F96 1869 "Technicolor" jackass note, New, Crisp. Popular. Cat. 300.00
1382. $10 F105 1880 Rosecrans-Hyatt, New, crisp. unusual pale red seal Cat. 225.00
1383. $10 F107 1880 Rosecrans-Huston, spiked seal, Near New (tiny corner crease and smudge) Cat. new 285.00
1384. $20 F127 1869 "Technicolor" note, about Fine. SCARCE.
1385. $20 F129 1878 "Type" note "XX" at left & right, New, crisp except tiny corner crease. Rare. Cat. 500.00
1386. $20 F147 1880 Elliott-White, New except tiny corner crease. Cat. new 200.00

COMPOUND INTEREST TREASURY NOTE

1387. $10 F190 1864 Redemption value $11.94, About Very Fine with "J.P." on rev. VERY RARE SO CHOICE! This is confirmed by Frdbg. by not pricing it above fine. Catalogs in Fine at $1,250; this worth somewhat more.

SILVER CERTIFICATES

1388. $1 F217 1886 Rosecrans-Hyatt, Large seal, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp SUPERB! 200.00
1389. $1 F226a 1899 Lyons-Roberts, New, crisp SUPERB! Worth well over Cat. of 50.00
1390. $1 F237 1923 Speelman-White, New crisp SUPERB!; Worth over Cat. of 30.00
1391. $2 F240 1886 Rosecrans-Jordan, desirable #B39, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp CHOICE.
1392. $5 F263 1886 Rosecrans-Huston, in custom plastic holder, brown seal, New, slight smudge at corner. Popular design with 5 silver dollars pictured. RARE catalogs 525.00
1393. $5 F282 1923 Lincoln, New, crisp SUPERB! Worth well over Catalog of 225.00
1394. $10 F286 1880 Scofield-Gilfillan COUNTERSIGNED BY T. HILLHOUSE LARGE BROWN "X"! This is of the type of F287 but countersigned, therefore this is a SEPARATE TYPE IN ITSELF! About Very Fine. VERY RARE.

TREASURY OR COIN NOTES

1395. $1 F347 1890 Rosecrans-Huston brown seal. AUTOGRAPH "J. N. HUSTON, TREASURER U.S. 1889-91"! Desirable low #A108, New, crisp except very tiny corner crease. RARE. Worth well over Catalog of 400.00
1396. $1 F349 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, in custom plastic holder, New crisp, SUPERB! RARE SO CHOICE. Worth substantially over catalog of 400.00
1397. $1 F349 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, Extremely Fine (3 creases) but appears as near Unc. Scarce.
1398 $2 F353 1890 Rosecrans-Huston, brown seal, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp CHOICE! RARE! Worth over Cat. of 700.00
1399. $2 F353 1890 Rosecrans-Huston, brown seal, AUTOGRAPH "J. N. HUSTON, TREAS. U.S. 1889-91"! Near New, crisp. RARE!
1400. $2 F355 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, New, 2 tiny spots. Identical note pictured in Frdbg.! RARE Catalogs 700.00
1401. $2 F358 1891 Bruce-Roberts in custom plastic holder, New, crisp SUPERB! RARE SO CHOICE. Worth over catalog of 275.00
1402. $5 F361 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, red seal, New, crisp CHOICE. RARE. Cat..... 600.00
1403. $10 F368 1890 Rosecrans-Nebeker, in custom plastic holder. EX. FRANK A. LIMPERT COLLECTION (PICTURED). NEW, crisp SUPERB! RARE! Worth substantially above, catalog of 625.00

$100 1890 "WATERMELON COIN NOTE—CHOICE

1404. $100 F377 1890 Rosecrans-Huston, EX FRANK LIMPERT COLLECTION, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp, SUPERB! ONE OF THE FINEST KNOWN! Close examination of the picture of this note in the Limpert catalog shows that the corners had been expertly reworked with pulp paper giving them sharp corners. AN EXTREME RARITY AND EXCEEDINGLY SO IN THIS CHOICE CONDITION! The last Friedberg edition (7th) increased this note's valuation by $1,500 (now it's $7,500) over the previous edition. Due to the "Watermelon Note's" great popularity and this note's remarkable condition, we expect bidding to approach "Five Figures". PLATE

COMPLETE SET 1869 EDUCATIONAL SERIES

1405. $1 F224, $2 F247, $5 F269 Lovely set in New, crisp condition mounted in individual custom plastic holders. POPULAR!

1918 FEDERAL RESERVE BANK NOTES

1406. $1 F712 NEW YORK, T-B Hendricks-Strong, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp SUPERB!
1407. $5 F782 NEW YORK, T-B Hendricks-Strong, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp CHOICE.
1408. $10 F810 NEW YORK, T-B Hendricks-Strong, New, crisp SUPERB. Some extra green ink on reverse margin. In custom plastic holder. In addition, EXTREMELY RARE & DESIRABLE LOW #B1A!!

FEDERAL RESERVE NOTES

1409. $5 F851c NEW YORK, White-Mellon, New, crisp CHOICE! Scarce.
1410. $10 F911 NEW YORK, White-Mellon, in custom plastic holder. New, crisp CHOICE.

GOLD CERTIFICATE

1411. $10 F1173 1922, Very Fine. Catalogs 30.00

— END OF THIRD SESSION —

FOURTH SESSION
Saturday Evening, November 3, 1973
7:00 P.M. --- Lots 1412-1900

ALABAMA NATIONALS

1412. $5 FIRST CHARTER, Original series, SELMA, City (1736), F399. New crisp but with the faintest crease in tip of corner. VERY SCARCE! Well worth over 600.00
1413. $10 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, ABBEVILLE, First (5987), Very Scarce Bank. About Very Fine; close bottom margin with bottom of another note appearing at top, F577. ..... 350.00
1414. $20 1902 RED SEAL, ELBA, First (6897), RARE BANK! F647, Extremely Fine and crisp. Well worth 750.00
1415. $20 1902-1908 BACK, FLORALA, First (8910), Very Scarce Bank. F641, New, crisp, SUPERB! 300.00
1416. $5 1929 Type II, SLOCOMB National (7940), Very Rare Bank! EXTREMELY LOW & DESIRABLE #2! New, crisp SUPERB! A Very Rare Note with so many desirable features. 275.00

ARKANSAS NATIONALS

1417. $10 1902 FORT SMITH, First (1950), F-628, Extremely Fine and crisp. 135.00
1418. $5 1929 Type II, FAYETTEVILLE, First (7346), Scarce bank. EXTREMELY LOW AND DESIRABLE #2! New, crisp SUPERB! 250.00
1419. $5 1929 Type 11, HOPE, First (12533). Scarce Bank. Very Good. 50.00

CALIFORNIA NATIONALS

1420. $5 BROWN BACK, SAN FRANCISCO National (5096), F475 (RARE). New crisp SUPERB! 300.00
1421. $20 1882-1908, STOCKTON, First (2412), SUCCESSOR TO THE EARLIER NATIONAL GOLD BANK! Very Scarce and historical bank, F555. Fine. Worth 500.00
1422. $5 1882-1908, BAKERSFIELD, First (6044) Scarce bank liquidated 1918! F537, Extremely Fine. 225.00
1423. $10 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, EUREKA, First (5986), F577, Extremely Fine, crisp. SCARCE! 500.00

1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK "ERROR"

1424. $10 Acquired over 5 years ago from a sale wherein it was described as **"$10 1882 VALUE BACK WITH 'OR OTHER SECURITIES' OMITTED!** These notes were issued to increase the circulation of National Bank Notes, and an Act of Congress enabled the banks to deposit with the Treasurer **OTHER TYPES OF SECURITIES.** THIS WAS SO STATED ON THE NOTES! F577 with famous WELLS FARGO NEVADA NATIONAL BANK OF SAN FRANCISCO. About extremely Fine. Valued 5 years ago at $1,000.00. Since then research has shown while notes with this omission of obligation are Extremely Rare, they are not errors.

1425. $20 1902 RED SEAL, LOS ANGELES, American (6545) scarce bank liquidated in 1909! F647, Extremely Fine appearing with small brown spot, bright signatures. SCARCE. 300.00

1426. $10 1902 MOUNTAIN VIEW, First (10324), VERY RARE BANK! F629 (RARE SIGNATURES). About Very Fine. 300.00

$100 1882 DELAWARE NATIONAL

1427. **$100 1882 BROWN BACK, SMYRNA,** National (2381), Scarce bank. From a sale years ago where in it was described as, "F529 BRUCE ROBERTS (served together only a period of about 4 months). Certainly not many banks could have issued notes during this period, particularly in the $100 denomination. DELAWARE is one of the rarest states . . . and this bank did not issue very many notes total. This denomination from this bank is **EXTREMELY RARE** and there may be some validity to the owner's claim that his note 'if not actually UNIQUE it is practically so'. VERY FINE "It was then valued at $1,500. Surely it should now bring somewhat more.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA NATIONALS

1428. $10 FIRST CHARTER, SERIES 1875, WASHINGTON CITY, Central (2382), Scarce bank liquidated in 1907. F419, Very Good. RARE.

1429. $20 FIRST CHARTER, SERIES 1875, GEORGETOWN, Farmers and Mechanics (1928). F432, About Fine. RARE.

1430. $20 1902 WASHINGTON, Federal (10316), RARE BANK liquidated in 1922. F655 (Rare N-THOMPSON SIGNATURES). New, crisp, SUPERB! RARE BANK, SIGNATURES AND CONDITION. Worth well over 500.00

FLORIDA NATIONALS

1431. $100 1882 BROWN BACK, TALLAHASSEE, First (4132), RARE BANK LIQUIDATED 1916. F524, Extremely Fine and Crisp. VERY RARE DENOMINATION, BANK AND CONDITION. Worth 2,500.00

1432. $20 1902 LAKELAND, First (9811), SCARCE BANK liquidated 1922. F653, About Very fine.

1433. $50 1902 SANFORD, First (3798), RARE BANK liquidated 1924. F677, Very Good. VERY RARE. Friedberg does not value this due to rarity!

GEORGIA NATIONALS

1434. $50 1882 BROWN BACK, NEWMAN, First (1861) Scarce bank. F513, Very Fine. RARE! 1,000.00

1435. $10 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, ATLANTA, Lowry (5318). F577. Very good. 225.00

1436. $10 1902 RED SEAL, ATHENS, Georgia National (6525) Scarce bank liquidated 1925. F621, NEW CRISP SUPERB! A VERY RARE NOTE, EXCEPTIONALLY SO CHOICE! 750.00

1437. $20 1902 RED SEAL, SAVANNAH, Merchants (1640), F648 Scarce, Very Good (uneven edge). RARE.
1438. $5 1902 BARNESVILLE, First (6243) RARE BANK, F609. Fine. 175.00
1439. $20 1902 HAWKINSVILLE, First (7580) RARE BANK Liquidated 1922. F650. New, crisp. SUPERB. 275.00

1882 TERRITORY OF HAWAII

1440. $5 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, First of Hawaii at HONOLULU, (5550) F545, Extremely Fine, margin cut at top. RARE, ESPECIALLY SO CHOICE! Should realize over "Four Figures".

HAWAII NATIONAL

1441. $5 1929 TYPE 11, Name of bank CHANGED TO "BISHOP NATIONAL" (5550). New, crisp. RARE SO CHOICE! Worth 1,500.00

IDAHO NATIONALS

1442. $5 1902 PARMA, First (11496) VERY RARE BANK & STATE! F606, Very Fine..... 350.00
1443. $50 1902 IDAHO, First, Boise (1668) F677, About Very Fine. RARE. 350.00
1444. $10 1929 TYPE II, SHOSHONE, Lincoln County (9272) VERY RARE BANK! Fine with tiny tear from corner. 175.00

ILLINOIS NATIONALS

1445. $5 1ST CHARTER Series 1875, ROCHELLE National (1907) VERY RARE BANK! F401, Fine, several pinholes.

1446. $50 1882 BROWN BACK, ELGIN, First (1365), from a sale three years ago wherein described as **"RARE BANK, F514, ROSECRANS-MORGAN. BY FAR, THE RAREST REGULAR SIGNATURE COMBINATION! VERY FINE. This CHOICE SPECIMEN of this VERY RARE SIGNATURE COMBINATION from this RARE BANK is truly a prize for the advanced collector! Well worth $2,500."** Certainly worth that, or more now.

1447. $20 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BANK, QUINCY, Ricker (2519), F581, About Extremely Fine. Rare, especially so choice. Worth well over V.F. Cat. of 350.00
1448. $5 1902 Red seal, MAQUON, First (8482) F597 VERY RARE BANK liquidated 1929! F597, worn but legible, 2 small holes.
1449. $5 1902 KEWANEE, First (1785) Very Scarce bank, F601, very good.
1450. $5 1902, SHELBYVILLE, First (2128) F604, near new, crisp.

INDIAN TERRITORY

1451. $10 BROWN BACK, First of VINITA, INDIAN TER. (4704) Very Scarce bank. F485, About Very Fine, tiny pinhole, Very well preserved for Indian Territory. All Indian Territory are RARE, but in this condition they are EXTREMELY RARE! Worth well over four figures.

KENTUCKY NATIONALS

1452. $10 1ST CHARTER, CYNTHIANA, Farmers (2560) RARE BANK. F420. Fine. 275.00

MAINE NATIONAL

1453. $2 1ST CHARTER, Original series, BELFAST National (840) Very Scarce bank liquidated 1905. F387, Very Fine. RARE "LAZY 2."

MARYLAND NATIONAL

1454. $20 1ST CHARTER, DENTON National (2547) RARE BANK, F435, Very Good, some black spots. Rare. 350.00

MINNESOTA NATIONAL

1455. $10 1902 Red seal, HERMAN, First (8049) F622, Very Good ("washed"). RARE.

NEW MEXICO TERRITORY

1456. $10 1882 BROWN BACK, LAS VEGAS, First (2436) Scarce bank liquidated 1925. F490, Fine. VERY RARE NOTE AND HIGHLY UNDERVALUED! Should realize over 1,000.00

1457. $10 1882-1908 ROSWELL, First (5220) SCARCE BANK. F545, Extremely Fine, crisp. **EXTREMELY RARE NOTE!** This is one of the rarest of series from one of the rarest of "states". A "must" for the advanced collector. We expect spirited bidding to top 1,500.00

1458. $10 1902 RED SEAL, RATON National (8120) RARE BANK LIQUIDATED 1911! F622 (Scarce) Fine. This bank was in existence for only 5 years and Red seals were issued in small quantities. **VERY RARE AND UNDER-RATED!** Should realize over 1,000.00

1459. $20 1902-1908 BACK, RATON National (8120) RARE BANK LIQUIDATED 1911 (just before New Mexico became a state!) F640, Very Fine. VERY RARE, ESPECIALLY SO CHOICE! Should realize well in excess of four figures. Fine.

NEW MEXICO STATE NATIONALS

1460. $5 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BK, ALBUQUERQUE, First (2614) F579 (RARE). Fine

NEW MEXICO — EXTREMELY RARE SIGNATURE

1461. $5 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, ALBUQUERQUE, First (2614), F575-a (Robt. Friedberg did not know of the existence of this signature combination on this issue when he first published his book) NAPIER & McCLUNG, Clear signatures, almost fine. Jan. 6, 1912 on obverse is the day New Mexico became a state, therefore we must consider this a state note which in this issue, is as rare as a territorial, if not actually rarer. This issue is acknowledged as being somewhat rarer than the 1882-1908 issue, therefore it should fetch very close to 1,750.00

1462. $20 1902 LAS CRUCES, First (7720) EXTREMELY RARE BANK! F654, Near New, crisp 500.00

NEW YORK NATIONALS

1463. $1 1ST CHARTER, NEW YORK, Tradesmens (905) F383, worn but legible, torn edges.

1464. $5 1st Charter, Series 1875, NEW YORK, Chase (2370), F403. New, crisp, margins a little close, in custom plastic holder. Catalogs 325.00

1465. $50 1882 BROWN BACK, NEWBURGH, Quassaick (1213). Very good, top margin cut into design.

ERROR "$30" NOTE, $10/$20 DOUBLE-DENOMINATION

1466. Described in the 1959 A.N.A. Convention sale as "$10 Obverse and $20 Reverse - SERIES 1882 National Bank Note-1882-1908 On Rev.-Fr. No. 545 & No. 555-FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF NORTHPORT, N.Y. - In Addition, THE NEXT NOTES FROM THIS SHEET $10 OBV. and REV. Accompanies This Note - BOTH NOTES HAVE INVERTED REVERSES WHICH SHOWS HOW THIS ERROR CAME ABOUT - Evidently a Sheet of 3 $10 and One $20 (the way these came printed) Was Picked Up for Inspection And Then Accidentally Turned Around When Replacing It On The Pile Before The Other Side Was Printed - Therefore, One $10 OBV./$20 REV., One $20 OBV./$10 REV. and 2 $10 NOTES WITH INVERTED REVERSES WOULD BE PRINTED - A UNIQUE PAIR-2 pcs. Fine-V.F. $4,000.00". The owner paid $3,000 at that sale; it was resold in 1969 for $4,650.00. This Rarity could now realize 7,500.00

INVERTED 1929 NEW YORK NATIONAL

1467. $5 1929, NEW YORK, Liberty Bank and Trust (12352). **INVERTED OVERPRINT** (Seal and serial #'s) **next to the double denominations**, this is the **RAREST OF ALL NATIONAL ERRORS!** Fine. Easily worth 1,000.00

NORTH DAKOTA NATIONALS

1468. **$10 1ST CHARTER, FARGO, First (2377), F422 (SCARCE), Fine with "1934" printed on reverse. First Charters from this state are rare.** **300.00**

1469. $20 BROWN BACK, VALLEY CITY, American (5364) RARE BANK LIQUIDATED 1918! F504, Very good.

1470. $20 1902 HILLSBORO, First (3400) VERY RARE BANK! F650, About Extremely Fine, crisp. 300.00

UNIQUE? F575b OHIO NATIONAL

1471. **$50 1882 BROWN BACK, CINCINNATI,** Fourth (93) F507, worn but legible. frayed edges, several pinholes, etc.

1472. $5 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, CINCINNATI, Lincoln (2524), F575b, until recently, this signature combination, TEEHEE-BURKE, was **UNKNOWN TO FRIEDBERG!** Now it is listed with "RARE" instead of a price. We have never seen another one. **IS THIS THE DISCOVERY NOTE?** Nearly NEW! Truly a "**chance of a lifetime**". We expect with the present strong demand for rare nationals, that bids will reach into the middle 4 figures.

1473. $10 1882 DENOMINATIONAL BACK, DAYTON, Winters (2604) F577, V.F., dirt smudges Rev. Cat. 225.00

EXTREMELY RARE INVERTED NATIONAL

1474. $10 1882 Denominational Back. ZANESVILLE Citizens (5760),,**EXTREMELY RARE INVERTED REVERSE** (from a sheet of 3 tens and 1 twenty, the latter being a double denomination)! **F577, New, crisp SUPERB! Of extreme rarity as an error note, as well as a national.** Certainly worth in the mid four figures.

OREGON NATIONALS

1475. **$10 1882 BROWN BACK, McMINNVILLE, First (3399) RARE BANK! F482, Fine. EXTREMELY RARE! So rare that Friedberg does not attempt to value it while making valuations for other states up to $600.00; presumably this worth much more.**

1476. $10 1902-1908 MEDFORD (8236) **EXTREMELY RARE BANK!!** F614, Near New. 350.00

1477. $5 1929 TYPE 11, CONDON, First (7059) **EXTREMELY RARE BANK!!** VERY RARE AND DESIRABLE LOW #4! New, crisp SUPERB! Worth 300.00

PENNSYLVANIA NATIONALS—$50 & $100 1ST CHARTERS

1478. $5 1ST CHARTER Series 1875, KENNETT SQUARE, National (2526) F405, worn but legible. PLATE

1479. $20 1ST CHARTER, Series 1875, KITTANNING, National (2654) VERY SCARCE BANK LIQUIDATED 1902. F435, Very Fine, one side of one border slightly frayed. RARE! 450.00

1480. $50 1ST CHARTER Series 1875, PHILADELPHIA, Commonwealth (623) **RARE BANK LIQUIDATED 1891!** F444, About extremely Fine, evidence of tape reverse. **EXTREMELY RARE, ESPECIALLY SO CHOICE!** Well worth 2,500.00

1481. $100 1ST CHARTER Original series WITH CHARTER OVERPRINT! PHILADELPHIA, Mechanics (610), F455, About Extremely Fine, EXTREMELY RARE! Should realize close to 3,500.00

1482. $100 1882 BROWN BACK, WILLIAMSPORT, FIRST (175) F519. About Very Fine.

1483. $20 1882-1908 BACK, PHILIPSBURG, First (4832). F551 (VERY RARE SIGNATURE OF ROSECRANS-MORGAN!). Fine to Very Fine. VERY RARE! Worth over catalog V.F. of 950.00

1484. $10 1902-1908 BACK, YORK, First (197) F613, New, crisp, close bottom. Cat. 65.00

SOUTH DAKOTA NATIONALS

1485. $$10 1902 PUKWANA, First (9958) VERY RARE BANK! F627, Very Fine. 250.00

1486. $20 1902 CHAMBERLAIN, Whitbeck (9301) RARE BANK LIQUIDATED 1924! F652, Extremely Fine. 275.00

$50 FIRST CHARTER UTAH TERRITORY UNIQUE?

1487. $50 1ST CHARTER, SALT LAKE CITY, Deseret National bank (2059) F445, About Very Fine. $50 1st charters are **VERY RARE** and greatly undervalued; any **Utah Territory** is **Rare.** This then is **EXCEEDINGLY RARE and Possibly UNIQUE!** This is attested to by the fact that Friedberg doesn't even try to value this note in $20 denomination; much less in $50. notes. Since $50 notes are many times rarer than $20's, and the highest $20 valuation is $1,200, this then could be worth 10,000.00

UTAH NATIONALS

1488. $10 1882 BROWN BACK, SALT LAKE CITY, Desert (2059) F487, Near New. RARE! Should approach "Four Figures."

1489. $20 1882-1908 BACK, OGDEN, First (2597) F555, Very Fine, small cut into top margin. RARE.

VERMONT NATIONAL

1490. $10 1ST CHARTER Series 1875 WELLS RIVER, Newbury (1406) F416, in custom plastic holder, New, crisp CHOICE, tiny brown spot at top. Rare so choice. Worth over Catalog of 400.00

WASHINGTON NATIONALS

1491. $20 1882 BROWN BACK, OLYMPIA, Capital (4297) SCARCE BANK. F498, Near New, VERY RARE. .....)750.00

1492. $100 1882 BROWN BACK, SEATTLE National (4229) F524, New crisp, nice margins. EXTREMELY RARE! $20 Notes of this series in this state are valued at almost 3 times the common states; this $100 note then in this remarkable condition, should be valued at over 3,000.00

1493. $50 1902 SEATTLE National (4229) F567, New crisp close bottom margin. VERY RARE! 450.00

WISCONSIN NATIONAL

1494. $10 1882-1908 BACK, MILWAUKEE, Wisconsin (4817) F540, Very Good.

1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC SET IN COPPER FRAME

1495. **1915 $50 OCTAGON, $50 ROUND, $2½, $1, 50¢ mounted in ORIGINAL COPPER DISPLAY FRAME with gold-printed purple descriptive labels.** POPULAR! The set in the Original Case in the Gilhousen sale (Superior L.A. 2/73) brought $22,000.00 after spirited bidding. A month later, Stack's sale in N.Y. had a set in the Copper Frame which sold for $31,000.00 — again, there was spirited bidding. A highly sought-after prize, this attractive set in the Original Copper Display Frame will no doubt establish a new record. PLATE.

$4 1879 GOLD STELLA "GEM"

1496. **1879 FLOWING HAIR, BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! PRISTINE!**

An equal specimen may exist but certainly no superior one! SETTING NEW RECORDS.

PLATE

1497. **$1 1849 OPEN WREATH,** certificate from Walter Breen dated 1962 states: **"The accompanying 1849 gold dollar of Type I (small head, without L under truncation) is a PROOF and ONE OF PROBABLY NOT MORE THAN SIX SPECIMENS MADE. The die state is identical to that on the proof in the Smithsonian Institution and earlier than that found on the regular uncirculated strikes.** The recutting on the stars below head is distinctive of this obverse die, but it quickly fades out on the business strikes.

There were 1,000 regular business strikes from the Type I dies on May 8, 1849. The dies had been completed on May 7 and the first proof sent sent to the Secretary of the Treasury (W. M. Meredith) for his approval, which was promptly forthcoming — indeed with a measure of exasperation at the long delay resulting from Longacre's slowness as a die-cutter. On the same May 7 other proofs were made and the following individuals got them:

1. **W. M. Meredith,** Secretay of Treasury, above mentioned. Later to S. Nagy?
2. **W. E. DuBois,** for placeemnt in the Mint Cabinet Collection of Coins. Now in the Smithsonian.
3. **John C. Calhoun.** Whereabouts of the Calhoun specimen, as of Meredith-Nagy coin, now unknown.
4. **5. These were retained by J. B. Longacre and were in his estate (1870).** They have not been located. Possibly the present coin is one of them?
6. **The present coin, found in England** in a leather bag with several other gold pieces, with which it had been kept since the mid nineteenth century; subsequently bought by a California dealer, thence to the writer."

BRILLIANT PROOF but close inspection with glass reveals faint evidence of it having beep kept in the bag with other coins.

Easily now a "Five-Figure" coin.

GOLD DOLLARS

1498. **1849 OPEN WREATH, Type 1: Small Head WITHOUT "L" (Longacre) on truncation of bust (similar reason as for 1864 1¢ without & with "L") Extremely Fine. ONLY 1,000 STRUCK! Listed in Scott as a MAJOR VARIETY. THE SECOND SMALLEST COINAGE FROM THE PHILADELPHIA MINT being exceeded only by 1875! Rarity 5.**

1499. 1849 OPEN WREATH, Large Head, uncirculated with some patina.

1500. 1849 CLOSED WREATH, recut date variety, near Uncirculated.

1850-C $1 GOLD "GEM"

1501. 1850-C BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK PROOFLIKE, WIRE EDGE GEM! So choice it was acquired as "FINEST KNOWN" about a year ago at $2,000; present values for this rarity could now be double.

1502. **1851 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK WITH WIRE EDGE.**

1851-C $1 GOLD "CHOICE"

1503. **1851-C Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARPLY STRUCK, FULL LUSTER! The few "bag-marks" keep us from calling it a "GEM", even though it is far superior to most seen. Really rare so choice. Probably a "Four Figure" coin today.**

1851-D $1 GOLD "GEM"

1504. **1851-D BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK PROOFLIKE, WIRE EDGE GEM! We do not see how a choicer specimen could exist. Acquired about a year ago as "FINEST KNOWN" at $1,500; present value could now be double.**

1505. 1852 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck, choicer than most.

1506. 1852 Fine, 1854 Type I (2) Extremely Fine, lot 3 coins.
1507. 1852 Fine, 54 Type I very fine, 56 ver yfine, 62 fine (flat spot in reeding).
1508. 1853 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck, Full Luster!
1509. 1853-O Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Prooflike.
1510. 1854 Type I, Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck, Full Luster!

1854 TYPE II $1 GOLD "CHOICE"

1511. 1854 TYPE II, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK, FULL LUSTER! The date is remarkably sharp and full! VERY RARE SO CHOICE. In strong demand for "type" but particularly difficult to find sharply struck — the reason the design was changed after only being used for 1½ years. We note the Paramount price list (July) had one at $2,950; we saw one at Boston A.N.A. (August) at $3,500.00. PLATE. As we go to press, our attention was called to reecnt ad at 3,950.00

1855 TYPE II $1 GOLD "CHOICE"

1512. 1855 BRILLIANT ORANGE UNCIRCULATED, RARE SHARP STRUCK DATE! Particularly difficult to obtain thus! The Paramount July price list had one at $3,350.00. We did not see a choice one at Boston A.N.A. Rarer even than the 1854! Probably now worth 4,500.00.

1855-O TYPE II $1 GOLD "CHOICE"

1513. 1855-O Virtually Uncirculated with almost complete luster, WIRE EDGE BOTH SIDES which leads us to believe that what appears to be slight friction on the hair strands is 95% due to the typical striking with hair strands not full. Unusually sharp strike with "8" complete but not fully struck up! RARE THIS SHARPLY STRUCK as nearly all come with weak (part not visible) struck "8" with many showing only a trace of the "8". A highly acceptable specimen of one of the rarest gold dollars to find in choice condition. The Gilhousen E. F. coin (Superior L.A. 2/73) brought $1,210; surely this MUCH CHOICER SPECIMEN now worth about $2,000.00.
1514. 1856 TYPE III, slant 5, virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, luster.
1515. 1856 Upright 5, Extremely Fine, slightly bent. Much scarcer than above.
1516. 1858-S Brilliant Uncirculated, faint rub in field. Rare so choice. LOW COINAGE.
1517. 1859 Uncirculated with orange patina, slightly porous planchet.
1518. 1860-S Extremely Fine in sharpness but close examination reveals "tooling" in fields. **LOW COINAGE.**
1519. 1868 Near Uncirculated (polished to resemble a proof). Gilhousen A.U. coin brought $290 in February; probably now worth closer to 400.00
1520. 1869 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARPLY STRUCK, WIRE EDGE, usual "bagmarks."
1521. 1873 Open 3, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, PROOFLIKE BOTH SIDES!
1522. 1874 Brilliant Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE GEM!
1523. 1876 Brilliant Uncirculated, WIRE EDGE, PROOFLIKE, LOW COINAGE.
1524. 1879 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE WIRE EDGE GEM! LOW COINAGE!
1525. 1880 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE WIRE EDGE GEM! ONLY 1636 TOTAL COINAGE!
1526. 1881 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WIRE EDGE GEM! Low Coinage.
1527. 1882 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE WIRE EDGE GEM! LOW COINAGE.
1528. 1883 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE WIRE EDGE GEM! Closely resembles a proof.
1529. 1886 OVER "5" (or recut 6 - both descripitons for this variety have been used over the years). PROOFLIKE WITH WIRE EDGE! Closely resembles a proof.
1530. 1887 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WIRE EDGE GEM! Low Coinage.
1531. 1888 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WIRE EDGE GEM!
1532. 1889 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WIRE EDGE GEM! Last year
1533. 1889 Another BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED WIRE EDGE GEM!

$2½ GOLD

1534. 1804 14 Stars reverse, Extremely Fine. SCARCE. The V.F. Gilhousen coin (Superior L.A. 2/73) brought $1,500; Surely this better specimen now worth well over $2,000.00.

1535. 1836 UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK! Close inspection with glass reveals a few faint "bag-marks". FAR SUPERIOR TO MOST "UNCIRCULATED" SPECIMENS OFFERED! Popular "type". Inferior specimens have sold over $1,000.00.

1536. 1837 Fine to Very Fine obverse; Very Fine reverse. Low coinage.

1537. 1838 Virtually Uncirculated (only barest friction) obverse, Sharp E. F. rev. Low Coinage. The Gilhousen A.U. coin (Superior 2/73) brought $600; present value?

$2½ 1839-C UNCIRCULATED

1538. 1839-C Recut 39, mint mark above date, UNCIRCULATED, WIRE EDGE AROUND BOTH SIDES. Tiny bag mark on cheek. VERY RARE IN THIS CHOICE STATE OF PRESERVATION. The Gilhousen A. U. coin (Superior 2/73) brought $790; surely this MUCH CHOICER SPECIMEN now worth substantially more.

1539. 1839-D Mint mark above date, Extremely Fine obverse; reverse closer to Very Fine. The E.F. Gilhousen coin brought $520 in February; this popular First Year Dahlonega mint coin probably now worth over 750.00

$2½ 1840-C UNCIRCULATED

1540. 1840-C UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK! RARE SO CHOICE. NOW EASILY WORTH OVER $1,000.00.

1541. 1841-C Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, SHARP STRUCK, WIRE EDGE. RARE.

1542. 1842-O Nice Sharp Strike with RAISED BORDERS BOTH SIDES, borderline Uncirculated (only faint rubbing keeps it from being fully uncirculated.) Low coinage. Breen in his monograph "Varieties Of U.S. Quarter Eagles" states "Still unknown in mint state".

1543. 1843-C Large Date, Recut "C", virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction, Sharp Struck.

1544. 1843-D Virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction. SCARCE.

1545. 1843-O Small date, very fine (light line in field).

1546. 1844-D Near Uncirculated with luster. The Gilhousen unc. coin 2/73 brought $1125; this worth proportionately.

1547. 1845 Extremely Fine & Sharp, traces of luster.

1548. 1845-D Extremely fine. Low Coinage.

1549. 1847-D Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, Much Luster, SHARP STRUCK! LOW COINAGE.

1550. 1847-O Very Fine. New Orleans gold increasing in demand.

1551. 1848-C BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK except on eagle's head and neck, caused by being struck on slightly buckled planchet. RARE SO CHOICE.

1552. 1849-D, Either an Overdate or Recut date, Virtually Uncirculated, Only barest friction, considerable luster. RARE.

1553. 1850-C Uncirculated, usual "bag marks" visible when closely viewed with glass. RARE.

1554. 1850-D Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, almost complete luster. RARE.

1555. 1851 Near Uncirculated, Sharp, much luster.

1556. 1851-C Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, faint hairlines visible when viewed with glass. RARE.

1557. 1851-D Near Uncirculated with luster. RARE.

1558. 1851, 53 (Polished), 54 about very fine average.

1559. 1852 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE. Rare

1560. 1852-D Extremely Fine & Sharp with some luster. Breen states "VERY RARE". Porbably now worth over $1,000.00.

1561. 1853 Extremely Fine.
1562. 1854 Uncirculated, choicer than most.
1563. 1854-C Extremely Fine, as Breen states in "Varieties of U.S. Quarter Eagles", "Always flatly struck; in mint parlance, the designs did not "come up" fully. VERY RARE." Seldom offered above fine to very fine.
1564. 1856 Extremely Fine.
1565. 1857 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK, WIRE EDGE GEM!

$2½ 1857-D UNCIRCULATED

1566. Lot 174 of Wolfson sale (Stack's 10/62) described **"BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK. RARE AS ONLY 2,364 WERE COINED."** Scott states **"Very Rare In Strictly Unc."**. Breen says **"TWO MINT STATE SPECIMENS OF IT MIRACULOUSLY SURVIVE"** in his monograph. We haven't seen the other specimen but **WE CANNOT SEE HOW A CHOICER SPECIMEN THAN THIS OUTSTANDING GEM COULD EXIST!**

It has been over a decade since the outstanding Wolfson collection has been dispersed. Who knows how many more years will again elapse before this "Fantastic" specimen reappears on the market. It is difficult to know what a rarity in this remarkable state of preservation might bring on today's market but we believe we are safe in predicting "Mid Four Figures"

1567. 1858-C UNCIRCULATED WITH YELLOW PATINA, THE SHARPEST STRUCK SPECIMEN WE CAN RECALL SEEING! Close inspection reveals tiny die chip near eagle — as on the few specimens we have seen over the years. The Gilhousen v.f. coin was called "Very Rare Date." Scott states "EXTREMELY RARE IN UNC." Easily worth "Well Into Four Figures".

$2½ 1859-D UNCIRCULATED

1568. 1859-D UNCIRCULATED WITH ORANGE PATINA, interesting tiny break at edge. **ONLY 2,244 STRUCK! ONE OF THE SMALLEST COINAGES OF THE ENTIRE QUARTER EAGLE SERIES! EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS CHOICE CHOICE STATE OF PRESERVATION!** Should bring a few thousand dollars.

1569. 1860-C Virtually Uncirculated, only barest frfiction. THE SHARPEST STRUCK SPECIMEN WE CAN RECALL SEEING! Both Breen & Scott state "Always weakly struck". LOW COINAGE. The 5th lowest coinage $2½ Charlotte Mint. We would not be surprised to see it bring around "Four Figures". PLATE.
1570. 1860-S Very close to Uncirculated with only slight friction, pleasing orange patina. Sharper Struck than generally seen! Scott states **"Excessively Rare In Unc."** and does not value it above very fine. The Gilhousen coin was very fine; they did however have an 1856-S(71,120 struck compared to only 35,600 struck of 1860-S) in "Almost Uncirculated" which realized $625 after spirited bidding. We note Paramount's July price list has an uncc. 1856-S at $950.00. It will be interesting to see what this **MUCH RARER 1856-S** now brings.
1571. 1861 Very Fine.
1572. 1865-S Very good and sharp.
1573. 1873 Open 3, Extremely Fine & Sharp (lightly polished).
1574. 1878 Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction.
1575. 1878-S Extremely Fine.
1576. 1879 Brilliant Orange Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK!
1577. 1890 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARPLY STRUCK, tiny "bag-mark" rev.. field. SCARCE.
1578. 1893 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE Envelope has "6/51 $10 Hollinbeck Auction". Times sure have changed.

$2½ 1895 PERFECT PROOF

1579. **1895 CAMEO-SHARP, PERFECT BRILLIANT PRISTINE PROOF!** ONLY 119 STRUCK 78 YEARS AGO. **An equal speciment may exist but certainly no superiar one!**

1580. **1896 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Low coinage.**
1581. 1898 Brilliant Uncirculated. Only 24,165 struck.
1582. **1899 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF, CHOICE. Only 150 struck.**
1583 **1900 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF, CHOICE.**
1584. **1901 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! A MAGNIFICENT SPECIMEN!**
1585. 1903 Uncirculated, usual faint "bag-marks" visible with glass.
1586. 1904 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck.
1587. 1905 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck, minute "bag-mark".
1588. 1905 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! Pristine!
1588a. 1907 Recut 7, tip of first 7 below, Virtually Uncirculated. FIRST SEEN!
1589. 1907 Brilliant Uncirculated, Wire Edge.
1590. 1909 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
1591. 1910 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
1592. **1910 PERFECT BRILLIANT MATTE PROOF WITH RARE YELLOW "ROMAN GOLD" FINISH.**
1593. 1911 Brilliant orange Uncirculated, CHOICE.
1594. **1911-D BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Really Rare thus.**
1595. 1913 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
1596. 1914 Uncirculated with orange patina. Scarce.
1597. 1914-D Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE.
1598. 1915 Brilliant Uncirculated with "Full Original Mint Frost".
1599. 1927 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!
1600. 1929 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE.

$2½ 1848 "CAL.", 1848-P-C-D CHOICE SET

1601. **1848 "CAL." over eagle, Extremely Fine & Sharp (appears to be faint rub spot in field when examined with glass). Acquired as "FIRST UNITED STATES COMMEMORATIVE." A valid claim since it was struck from gold sent by the Military Governor of California to the Mint to Commemorate The Discovery of Gold in California, in plastic holder for the four coins. Quite popular with new records being set for this rarity.**

$2½ 1848 PROOFLIKE GEM

1602. **1848 REGULAR DIES, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH WIRE EDGE, PROOFLIKE SURFACE, GEM! RARE DATE BUT EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE CONDITION! Well worth several times the** the Guidebook of only $1,200; **surely this highly desirable specimen worth in the "Mid Four Figures".**

1603. **1848-C UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK,** but close examination with glass reveals faint rub in field. **RARE SO CHOICE!**

1604. **1848-D Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, SHARP STRUCK!**

The true rarity of many is being recognized with new records being set. The mintage of some is a mere few hundred, with many in the law thousands. Excellent potential for future rise in values.

$3 1854 GEM—ONLY YEAR "TYPE"

1605. **1854 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, WIRE EDGE GEM!** In demand for "TYPE" as it is the Only Year with tiny "dollars". We note Paramount had one in their July price list at $1,250; surely this "GEM" herein offered now worth closer to $2,000.00.

1606. 1854 Virtually Uncirculated, faint rubbing obverse and a few bag-marks, nick in reeding.
1607. 1854 Another, extremely Fine & Sharp, bag-mark in field.

$3 1855 PROOFLIKE—LARGE "DOLLARS"

1608. **1855 LARGE "DOLLARS", GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOFLIKE WITH WIRE EDGE!** So choice that it was acquired as a **"PROOF"** many years ago at $2,500 when "uncirculated" were bringing around $50. This is understandable as this date is **Excessively Rare in Proof and is unpriced in the Guidebook.** Since it does not have all the characteristics of a true Proof, we prefer to call it "Prooflike". A "Fantastic" specimen now worth in the "Mid Four Figures".

1609. 1856-S Fine to Very Fine obverse, reverse Very Fine.
1610. 1857 Extremely Fine, tiny edge nick.
1611. **1858 Acquired as a "PROOF" at $2,250.00.** Careful examination reveals that it has been carefully "cleaned" to give it the appearance of a proof, SHARP. HIGH WIRE EDGE, in plastic holder. **A Rare Date in any condition as a mere 2,133 total were struck, including the few Excessively Rare Proofs.**
1612. 1859 Very Fine but polished.
1613. 1861 Extremely Fine but evidence at top of solder removal & re-reeding.

$3 1868 BRILLIANT PROOF

1614. **1868 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF! ONLY 25 STRUCK OVER A CENTURY AGO. HOW MANY CAN STILL BE IN EXISTENCE! Surely worth a "Mid Four Figures".**

1615. **1871 GLITTERING GOLDEN PROOFLIKE, HIGH WIRE EDGE BOTH SIDES!** Acquired as a full "PROOF". Easily understandable as it has a **COMPLETE PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES AND IS RAZOR-SHARP IN STRIKE!** Rather deceptive as we had to study it quite closely to determine that it was not struck as an intentional proof. Only a total of 1,300 "business-strikes" plus 30 Proofs were struck" **Rare in any condition but EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE STATE!** Probably exceed its cost of $2,500 as rarities (particularly gold) now seem to be "coming into their own". PLATE

1616. **1872 Glittering Golden Prooflike with Wire Edge. SCARCE. PLATE**

$3 1876 PRISTINE PROOF

1617. **1876 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! PRISTINE! ONLY 45 STRUCK NEARLY A CENTURY AGO. THE CHOICEST SPECIMEN OF THE SECOND RAREST $3 GOLD THAT WE CAN RECALL SEEING OVER THE YEARS!** Regardless of the price paid, we believe the proud new owner will receive "dividends", both in pride of possession and also monetarily, as new records keep being set for the "rare" and "choice" coins. This is the "Terrell" coin auctioned by "American Auction Assoc." May, 1973 and which the price list indicates fetched $16,000.00. In our opinion, a "bargain", as **we have seen more 1875 $3 gold in this condition than we have of 1875 in our Forty Years As Professional Numismatists!** A few more 1876 seem to exist (in spite of the fact that the "20" figure is incorrect for 1875 — the 1875 was restruck on two different occasions). The 1875 seem to have been "saved" while most of the 1876 seem to have been used for jewelry (holed, soldered) or even "spent".

An unusual opportunity to acquire **"THE FINEST".** Should now exceed $20,000.00. Perhaps closer to $25,000.00. PLATE.

1618. 1878 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, Wire Edge, "Gem" except for tiny "bag-mark" at numeral "8". We note Paramount's July price list has this date at "BU $950.00; BU, Choice $1,200.00." Present value?

1619. **1882 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE, SHARP STRUCK WITH WIRE EDGE! Rather deceptive as present owner acquired it as a "PROOF", which it so closely resembles.** We note Paramount's prooflike coin in their July price list was $1,450.00. **Present value for this remarkable specimen probably now over $2,000.00.**

1620. 1885 Extremely Fine with traces of prooflike luster in letters & date. **ONLY 801 STRUCK FOR CIRCULATION** (plus 109 proofs). **AMONG THE LOWEST COINAGES FOR THE ENTIRE SERIES. Paramount had an AU, choice coin in their July price list at $1,350.00. The market has advanced since then.**

1621. **1889 Prooflike, Sharp Struck with Wire Edge** but evidence of faint rubbing when inspected with glass. **Only 2,429 total struck!** Paramount did not have this date in their July price list but did have the 1888 (5,291 struck) in AU, choice at $795 & BU,choice at $1,295.00. **ONLY HALF THE COINAGE OF 1888.**

$4 1879 GOLD STELLA

1622. 1879 FLOWING HAIR, only barest traces of firction, Sharply Struck, close inspection reveals tiny spot where reeding has been repaired (to remove nick or solder?). Quite popular with new records being set nearly every time offered during the yast year.

$4 1880 STELLA

1623. **1880 FLOWING HAIR, BRILLIANT GEM PROOF but after carefully weighing it, we feel it is copper with glod-plating.** Rather deceptive, unless carefully checked. It pays to know who you are dealing with. As rare, if not actually rarer than the solid gold one butnotasvaluable. The solid gold one would bring many thousands today, if available. **This gold-plated specimen now worth in the "High Four Figures".**

$5 1795 SMALL EAGLE—CHOICE

1624. 1795 SMALL EAGLE, Near Uncirculated, only slight wear, choice.

$5 1796/5 SMALL EAGLE—CHOICE

1625. **1796 OVER 5, Near Uncirculated, Quite Sharp,** a glass reveals faint hairlines below eagle. Rather choice. **RARE.** Smaller coinage and less percentage saved. Scott states "Extremely Rare In Unc."

$5 HERALDIC EAGLE 1803-1812

1626. 1803 Over 2, Extremely Fine & Sharp.

1627. **1804 Small 8, Double-Cut 4, UNCIRCULATED, Sharp Struck but close inspection with glass reveals tiny nick at third star and just the faintest trace of rubbing, attractive luster. RARE. We have seen "Uncirculated" specimens or some of the "commoner" early dates at $2,000 and more.**

1628. **1806 Round Top 6, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, faint "bagmark" keeps us from calling it a "GEM." Highly desirable and unusually choice. RARE. We have seen "Uncirculated" specimens at $2,000 and more.**

$5 1807 BUST LEFT—"GEM"

1629. **1807 BUST LEFT, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! A MAGNIFICENT SPECIMEN OF THIS POPULAR "FIRST YEAR OF TYPE".** Acquired early this year at $2,500.00. Present value?

1630. **1808 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! Superior to the two we saw at Boston A.N.A. in August priced at $2,000 and $2,250.00.**

1631. **1812 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! "Lint-mark" at cheek caused by tiny piece of lint adhering to the die after it was "wiped". Since it is minor and does not detract from the desirability of the coin, it is usually not mentioned.**

$5 1813 NEW TYPE—"GEM"

1632. **1813 NEW "SQUARE HEAD", BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! RARE!** Popular for "type" Acquired early this year at $2,500.00. Present value?

$5 1834 NEW TYPE—PROOFLIKE

1633. **1834 New Classic Head, plain 4, PROOFLIKE, SHARP STRUCK WITH WIRE EDGE!** Acquired early this year at $975; we note Paramount had one (we do not know how it compared to this sharp struck specimen) in their July price list at $1,100; there was also **one at Boston A.N.A. at $1,500.00. Present value?**

1634. 1834 Plain 4, borderline Extremely Fine. Guidebook E. F. 275.00

1635. 1835 Extremely Fine, tiny line in field.

1636. 1836 Very fine & Sharp.

1637. 1837 Large Date (same size 1836) borderline Very Fine.

1638. **1837 Small tiny date, Extremely Fine, tiny scratch above date. Scott states "High R6 (13 to 15 known). Only one known in unc." VERY RARE! Not valued in Scott. Acquired early this year at $500.00. Present value?**

1639. 1838 Fine. Catalogs 100.00

$5 1838-D — CHOICE

1640. **1838-D Mint Mark Above Date, UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK but a glass reveals faint rubbing in field. RARE. Popular "FIRST YEAR DAHLONEGA MINT". We have seen a coin not quite this choice at $2,500.00. Present value for this superior one? PLATE**

$5 1841-D — CHOICE

1641. **1841-D Recut Date, PROOFLIKKE, SHARP STRUCK! EXCESSIVELY RARE! Not priced in Scott above E. F.**

$5 1844-O — UNIQUE PROOF?

1642. **1844-O "PROOF" "PARMELEE COLLECTION"** lettered on plastic holder containing this "Fantastic" specimen. **IT HAS COMPLETE PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES AND RAISED BROAD EDGE!**

Scott on page 273 under **"BRANCH MINT PROOFS"** has the following: **$5 1844-O. Occasion unknown. Unique. ex. Parmalee sale."**

The rarity and demand for "Super-Coins", particularly the past year, has resulted in there literally not being a limit to what they will bring. For instance, the $5 1845-O "choice unc." in the Gilhousen sale (Superior L.A. 2/73) valued at $300, brought $2,000, after spirited bidding. Of course there is no relation between rarity and demand for that 1845-O and this **UNIQUE** specimen.

If an 1879-O BRANCH-MINT ROOF SILVER DOLLAR is worth $18,000 (which it brought in January — a second specimen is being offered in this catalog) **then this has to be worth several times that price — $50,000.00? Perhaps closer to $100,000.00?** This of course, is "logical thinking" but in numismatics "logic" doesn't always prevail. Sometimes coins bring "far more" than logic dictates. Then again, we have seen coins bring less than what they should "logically" be worth. We will know what role "logic" will play in this instance, after the sale. PLATE

$5 1860-D PRISTINE UNCIRCULATED "GEM" FINEST KNOWN?

1643. **1860-D BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE "MINT STATE 70"!** Perhaps an equal specimen could theoretically exist but **WE DO NOT SEE HOW A CHOICER SPECIMEN IS POSSIBLE!** An incredible specimen of the **THIRD RAREST DAHLONEGA MINT** $5. Scott states **"Extremely Rare In Unc."** We believe the owner made a wise decision earlier this year when he paid $3,500.00 for it as **"THE FINEST KNOWN"**. The continuing strong market could result in a "run-away" price. Certainly there is no comparison in rarity and value for the $2,000 realized for the 1845-0 in the Gilhousen Feb. sale and this rarity in "Fantastic" condition. Surely it should bring in the "Strong Mid Four Figures."

$5 1861-D PRISTINE UNCIRCULATED "GEM" FINEST KNOWN?

1644. **1861-D BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE "MINT STATE 70"!** The choicest specimen we have seen in all our Forty Years As Professional Numismatists! Scott Catalogue states **"EXCESSIVELY RARE IN UNC."**
IN DEMAND BY **"CONFEDERATE"** COLLECTORS AS **C.S.A. STRUCK SOME AFTER SEIZURE OF THE MINT! BY FAR THE RAREST DAHLONEGA MINT $5!** We have seen it sometimes compared to the 1861-D $1 gold in rarity. Again, we believe the owner made a wise decision whn he paid $15,000.00 for this incredible specimen earlier this year, when he acquired it as **FINEST KNOWN".** Certainly rarer and more desirable than some coins in the $20,000 to $25,000.00 class.

1645. 1861 Uncirculated with slight orange patina. In demand for "No Motto" type.
1646. 1866-S With Motto, very good. Scarce. Gilhousen "Fine" 2/73 brought ——— 140.00
1647. 1868-S Extremely Fine, 2 tiny edge nicks. Scarce.

1648. 1872-S Virtually Unicrculated, only barest friction, quite sharp. RARE. PARTICULARLY SO CHOICE!

1649. 1879-S Extremely Fine & Sharp, some luster.
1650. 1880 Virtually Uncirculated, barest rubbing.
1651. 1881 Brilliant Uncirculated with Wire Edge, Choice.
1652. 1881-S Uncirculated with orange tint.
1653. 1882 Uncirculated with orange tint.
1654. 1882-S Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharplly Struck, faint bag-marks.
1655. 1884 Very Fine. Scarce. Low coinage.
1656. 1885 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck, usual bag-marks.
1657. 1886-S Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharply Struck.
1658. 1892 Uncirculated with orange patina.
1659. 1892-S Very Fine. Scarce.
1660. 1895 Uncirculated orange, tiny edge nick.

1661. 1897 Pair, COARSE & FINE REEDING, virtually Uncirculated. INTERESTING!

1662. 1897-S, 99-S, 03-S, 06-S Average Extremely Fine.
1663. 1899 Uncirculated orange but somewhat bag-marked.

1664. 1904 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Scarce date.

1665. 1905 **Recut 5,** Uncirculated. Scarce date.

1666. 1908 Liberty, Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

$5 GOLD 1878-1908 SET, COMPLETE EXCEPT TWO

1667. 1878 THROUGH 1908 LIBERTY, COMPLETE SET P-O-S-CC-D Except 1878-CC & 1887, mounted in plastic. Condition ranges mainly Extremely Fine to Near Uncirculated with following exceptions: 1879-CC, 80-CC, 83-CC, 93-CC Very Fine; 1881-CC, 88 (possibly "S" as abrasions around space for "S") Fine; some probably Uncirculated (including 82-CC, 91-CC) with typical "bag-marks". A highly desirable 71 piece set difficult to assemble today. Personal inspection suggested. The owner says that the "market value" was $17,500.00 in February, after the Gilhousen sale. It is difficult to estimate the present value of this set as the market value of many of the rarer pieces has advanced substantially since then.

$5 1887 PRISTINE GEM PROOF

1668. **1887 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF! PRISTINE! IT IS IMPOSSIBLE FOR A CHOICER SPECIMEN TO EXIST!** We do not know how many of the ONLY 87 STRUCK close to a century ago still remain in existence, but it cannot be very many. They just appear too infrequently. In fact, **this date has been offered fewer times over the years than other gold coins with less than half the coinage!**

It is interesting to note that most of the "Name" sales having a specimen, had it in varying degrees of impairment. The outstanding Wolfson col. (Stack's 10/62) and R. L. Miles (Stack's 10/68) had "Impaired Proofs."

We believe this 1887 $5 to be actually rarer than the 1876 $3 which brought $16,000.00 in May (American Auction Association - L.A.) In this era of Great Rarities "Coming Into Their Own", it will be interesting to see the bidding by knowledgeable collectors and dealers. **PLATE**

$5 INDIAN HEAD SET COMPLETE

1669. $5 INDIAN HEAD, 1908-1929 COMPLETE SET 24 mounted in plastic, Extremely Fine to Near Uncirculated, with following exceptions: 1908-D, 09-D Choice Uncirculated; 1911, 12, 15 unc. with usual "bag-marks"; 1929 Brilliant Uncirculated but has nick on leg & wing.

$5 INDIAN HEAD GOLD

1670. 1908-S Very Fine, usual faintly struck "S". SCARCE.
1671. 1909 Extremely Fine with some luster.
1672. 1909-D Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK "D", CHOICE.
1673. 1909-O UNCIRCULATED WITH SHARP STRUCK "O"! RARE. Easily worth over $1,000.00.
1674. 1910 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! Rare thus.
1675. 1911 Uncirculated slightly orange, CHOICE.
1676. 1911-D Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction. SCARCE.
1677. 1911-S Near Uncirculated with sharp struck "S".
1678. 1912-S Brilliant Uncirculated, usual light struck "S", CHOICE.
1679. 1913 Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction.
1680. 1913 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Rare thus.
1681. 1914 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Rare thus.
1682. 1914-D Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK "D". GEM! Rare thus.
1683. 1915 Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction.
1684. 1916-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, usual struck "S", GEM! Paramount's July price list had one with a little better "S" at 550.00

$10 GOLD 1801, 1804 CHOICE

1685. 1801 Extremely Fine & Sharp. Popular.

1686. **1804 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK! In fact, one of the Sharpest Struck we have seen over the years!** We are inclined to call it a "GEM" even though it has a few faint "mint equalization marks" done at the mint at time of manufacture to save the cost of melting and re-coining coins of slightly excess weight. **RARE DATE (Rarity 6) BUT EXTREMELY RARE SO CHOICE!**

$10 GOLD, LIBERTY HEAD TYPE

1687. 1847 Near Uncirculated, only slight wear.
1688. 1850 SMALL DATE (punches of $5 used by mistake). Extremely Fine. Listed in Breen's "U.S. Eagle" monograph as "RARE".

1690. 1854-S Extremely Fine. First year of San Francisco Mint.
1691. 1855 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK, only faintly bag-marked. RARE.

1692. **1858 VIRTUALLY UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH NEARLY FULL LUSTER, WIRE EDGE! Only the faint rubbing in field keeps it from being a strictly uncirculated "GEM".** Scott Catalogue has **"R6, UNKNOWN IN UNC. New head, curls detached from back of neck and separated from each other, the lower curls well away from neckline."**

A 1961 letter from **THE SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION** has the following: **"I am returning the 1858 ten dollar gold piece to you herewith. In my opinion its authenticity is beyond any doubt. I base this opinion on the fact that the coin was struck from the same pair of dies as the proof specimen (Philadelphia mint) ten dollar gold piece of 1858 in the original United States Mint Collection. To bring irrefutable proof to this statement we made (and enclose) enlarged transparences of your coin and a similar piece in the United States Mint Collection. Superimposition of these transparences will demonstrate the fact that both obverse and reverse of these two pieces originated from the identical dies. Very sincerely yours, V. Clain-Stefanelli, Curator, Division of Numismatics."**

The two largest gold collections to be sold in modern years had this to say about the 1858 they had:

WOLFSON, auctioned by Stack's, Oct., 1962. **"1858 Extremely Fine. Considered in some circles to be the Rarest of all United States $10.00 gold coins and one of the rarest of all United States Gold coins. The piece offered here is one of the finest available today; this of course excluses the two Brilliant Proof specimens known. One is in the Smithsonian Institution. the other in a prominent Mid-West collection, both of which are not available and not considered collectable today.** A very low mint record of only 2,521 struck. **From available records of both public and private sales we doubt if more than 15 specimens exist today.** In 1949, B. Max Mehl states, "I find that certainly no more than six specimens are known to exist." Numismatic history shows that prior to 1956 this coin had fewer auction appearances than most other rare coins. However, since 1956, with the upsurge of United States Gold Coin collectors, it has become apparent that a few more specimens have come to light. They have barely satisfied the demand for this rare coin. Taking into consideration all the known facts, after careful research and comparison, **we estimate the value of this Extremely Fine specimen at $5,000.00." It sold there for $4,250.00.**

MILES, auctioned by Stack's Oct., 1968. That also was "Extremely Fine" and sold for $4,300.00. The Shuford Sale by Kosoff also contained a Very Fine specimen which sold for $4,000.00. The other specimens (for which we could find any records) appear to be from very fine down to those with considerable wear.

CONDITION is a KEY POINT on this Date and Mint as 1858-O and 1858-S were also struck. THERE IS NO QUESTION ABOUT AUTHENTICITY IN THIS VIRTUALLY UNCIRCULATED SPECIMEN. A comparison of this ocin with the plates of the Wolfson and Miles coins makes it self-evident that this **specimen is MUCH SUPERIOR! Not only is it sharper, but it has MUCH CLEANER SURFACES AND MUCH LESS ABRASIONS!**

We note the Guidebook no longer attempts to evaluate this date in the highest state of preservation. It does list E. F. at $5,000.00. Therefore, this **FINEST AVAILABLE" specimen in PRACTICALLY UNCIRCULATED should be worth at least $10,000.00. PLATE**

$10 1858-O—CHOICE

1693. **1858-O Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, pinpoint edge nick. Scott states "Excessively Rare In Unc.".**

$10 1859-O "FINEST KNOWN?"

1694. **1859-O Very close to Uncirculated, only slightest wear, much "Mint Luster" still visible.** Scott states **"LOW R7 (ONLY 10 TO 12 KNOWN) UNKNOWN IN UNC."** The Gilhousen Very Fine coin brought $800 Feb., 1973. This choice specimen acquired earlier this year as **"FINEST KNOWN"** at $1,750.00. Surely the "Finest Known" of a "Rarity 7" $10 should be worth closer to "Mid Four Figures".

$10 1865-S OVER INVERTED 186

1695. 1865-S In plastic holder lettered **"1865 OVER 981 1988615 (SIMILAR TO 1841 OVER 81 AND 1851 OVER 81 1¢ "SAN FRANCISCO MINT" "MAJOR ERROR DIE".** Extremely Fine but actually deserving a higher grade as the flattening of the top curl over ear may be partially due to the die rather than completely attributable to wear. Acquired earlier this year — notation has "Discovery Piece'", Gilhousen E. F. $1,300, A. U. bargain $1,750". A most inteersting and rare piece.

1696. 1878 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck, Wire Edge! Only the few customary bag-marks prevents us from calling it a "GEM".

$10 1879 OVER 8?

1697. 1879, "9" OVER "8" or possibly "9" - Part of Underlying 8 or 9 Quite Sharp in bottom of "9". Extremely Fine and Sharp. FIRST SEEN IN OVER FORTY YEARS AS PROFESSIONALS! Not in Breen, Scott or other references!

$10 1879 "DOUBLE 9" PRISTINE

1698. 1879, 9 OVER 9 with Tail of First 9 Sharp & Clear Inside and to the left of final 9 ENTIRELY DIFFERENT THAN ABOVE LOT. BRILLIANT PROOF-LIKE, SHARP STRUCK WIRE EDGE GEM! THE CHOICEST NON-PROOF OF THIS DATE WE HAVE SEEN IN ALL OUR FORTY YEARS AS PROFESSIONALS!

$10 1879-O—CHOICE

1700. **1879-O Extremely Fine & Sharp with Considerable Mint Luster!** The Gilhousen catalog stated **"Probably no more than 25 pieces exist."** That V.F. coin brought $1,250.00. This somewhat superior specimen should now bring somewhat more, possibly closer to $2,000.00.

1701. 1892-O Brilliant Uncirculated with Full Luster, fewer than the usual quota of bag-marks. LOW COINAGE.

1702. 1899 Brilliant Uncirculated, Full Luster, fewer than usual bag-marks. The "Choice B.U." Gilhousen coin in Feb. brought $210; this worth?

1703. 1901-S Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK, CHOICE! The Gilhousen "Gem" brought $425.00 This worth?

1704. 1904 Brilliant Uncirculated, choicer than most. Gilhousen "B.U." brought $140 in Feb.; this now worth?

$10 1907 "SPECIMEN-STRIKE"

1705. 1907 Liberty, BRILLIANT COMPLETELY PROOF SURFACE BOTH SIDES! CAMEO-SHARP WITH RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES! We cannot help but feel that "Special Care" was given to its manufacture — probably as a "Presentation Piece" or "Specimen Strike" for some occasion.

$10 INDIAN TYPE

1706. 1907 "No Periods," BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Magnificent specimen with lovely satin finish. PRISTINE. We cannot see how a lovelier specimen could exist. We note the choice coin in Paramount's May sale brought $900; surely this "unimprovable specimen"" now worth more.

1707. 1908-D No Motto, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE! Only a couple bag-marks away from being a GEM.

1708. 1908 MOTTO, Brilliant Uncirculated, some bag-marks.

1709. 1908-D Motto, Very Fine.

1710. 1909 Brilliant Uncirculated, tiny nick.

1711. 1910 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!

1712. 1910-D Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

1713. 1911 Brilliant orange Uncirculated.

1714. 1911-D Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, almost Full Luster. RARE.

1715. 1912 Brilliant Uncirculated, Sharp Struck. Ad page 62 Coin World for 400.00

1716. 1912-S Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction. Scarce.

1717. 1913 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! Ad page 62 Coin World for 375.00

1718. 1913-S Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction. SCARCE.

1719. 1914 Uncirculated orange.

1720. 1914-D Brilliant Uncirculated GEM except for pinpoint edge nick.

1721. 1915-S Brilliant Uncirculated. RARE.

1722. 1916-S Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM! RARE!

$10 1920-S—CHOICE

1723. 1920-S BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, only a bag-mark away from being a "GEM"! EXCESSIVELY RARE WITH NEW RECORDS BEING SET! Scott states "HIGH R6 (Only 13 to 16 KNOWN)". We saw one at Boston, somewhat bag-marked at $13,500.00. Surely this choice specimen now worth somewhat more.

1724. 1926 Near Uncirculated, almost full luster.

1725. 1932 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARP STRUCK GEM!

$20 1850 GOLD—CHOICE

1726. **1850 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARPLY STRUCK, slightly Prooflike, GEM!** The A. U. Gilhousen coin in Feb. brought $2,000; since then we have seen "Uncirculated" ones offered at $3,000; $3,500 and one at Boston A.N.A. at $4,000.00. Present value for this choice specimen?

1727. **1852 Brilliant Uncirculated, SHARPLY STRUCK GEM! Quite Rare Thus. Paramount had a B. U. one with a "couple nicks" which brought $1,050 at their May N. Y. sale. Surely this GEM now worth at least $1,500.00.**

1727a. **1852 DOUBLED DATE,** First Date Punched Too High, **Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction. RARE, PARTICULARLY SO CHOICE!** Page ad Eastern dealer 9/12 Coin World for A. U. at $1,495.00. Present value?

1728. **1852 Brilliant Uncirculated, fairly Sharp, only a few of the usual bag-marks. RARE.**

$20 1853 U.S. ASSAY OFFICE—"GEM"

1729. **1853 "UNITED STATES OF AMERICA TWENTY D." around eagle, "UNITED STATES ASSAY OFFICE OF GOLD SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA. 1853" on reevrse. BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED GEM! RARE SO CHOICE. Have seen "Uncirculated" at $2,500 and $3,000.00. present value?**

$20 1853 OVER 1852?

1730. **1853 OVERDATE?, Original "1" slightly below and to left, inside bottom of "3" has what appears to be part of a "2", Uncirculated with attractive orange color. Until this has been definitely determined as an overdate, we prefer to leave the decision open. Regardless whether it is determined as an overdate or recut date, it is certainly quite scarce as a variety and as condition.** The About Uncirculated normal variety in Paramount's May sale brought $500; this worth several times that.

1731. **1854 RARE LARGE DATE (silver dollar punches used by mistake) Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, much luster. RARE.**

1731a. **1854 DOUBLED DATE,** normal smaller date, First Date Punched Too High, Very Fine. **NOT IN SCOTT! EXTREMELY RARE!**

1732. **1855-S Uncirculated orange, SHARPLY STRUCK, fewer than usual bag-marks. RARE THUS.**

1733. 1856-S Extremely Fine & Sharp.

1734. 1861 Near Uncirculated, "cleaned" to resemble uncirculated.

1735. **1865-S Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction. Paramount A. U. coin in May auction brought $450.00. Present value?**

1736. **1866-S No Motto, Extremely Fine. RARE. The three-year-old Scott value of $900 for E. F. surely cannot be its present value.**

$20 1866 MOTTO, PROOFLIKE

1737. **1866 GLITTERING YELLOW PROOFLIKE, SHARP STRUCK WITH RAISED EDGE!** Close inspection with glass reveals some porosity on obverse but not on reverse. A "Fantastic" specimen acquired as "PROOF?". We don't recall seeing another quite like it. The A. U. Gilhousen brought $500 in Feb.; surely this mos tunusual specimen now worth a few thousand dollars.

$20 1871 PROOFLIKE GEM

1738. **1871 BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE, SHARP STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE! IMPOSSIBLE FOR A CHOICER NON-PROOF TO EXIST!** A rare date in any condition but possibly **UNIQUE THUS.**

1739. 1873 Open 3, Virtually Uncirculated, only barest rubbing.

1740. 1873-S Closed 3, very fine.

1741. 1876-S Extremely Fine & Sharp with luster. Last year **"TWENTY D."**

1742. **1878 GLITTERING PROOF but has acquired minute abrasions from being kept loose with other coins. ONLY 20 STRUCK. PLATE**

1743. 1884-S Brilliant Uncirculated, fewer than usual bag-marks.

$20 1888 GEM PROOF

1744. **1888 BRILLIANT GEM PROOF. LOVELY INDEED IN THIS REMARKABLE STATE OF PRESERVATION.**

1745. **1892 Brilliant Uncirculated but bag-marked. RARE!**

1746. 1893 Brilliant Uncirculated, usual bag-marks. Scarce date.

1747. **1893 Closed 9 giving it the appearance of 9 OVER 8, orange Uncirculated.**

1748. 1895 Brilliant "Frosty" Uncirculated, fewer than usual bag-marks.

1749. **1897 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! PRISTINE!**

1750. 1897-S Brilliant Uncirculated. CHOICE.

1751. **1898 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. Scarce date.**

1752. **1898-S Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!**

1753. **1899 OVER 8?, last 9 closed at bottom giving appearance of overdate, Brilliant Uncirculated. CHOICE.**

1754. 1899 Usual open 9 variety, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE.

1755. **1900 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! PRISTINE!**

1756. 1903 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. Scarce date.

1757. **1904 Uncirculated GEM! Really scarce thus.**

1758. **1904-S BRILLIANT PROOFLIKE GEM! Rare thus.**

1759. 1907 Liberty, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. Last year.

$20 1907 ROMAN DATE

1760. **1907 ROMAN DATE, High Relief, flat rim variety, a lovely specimen except for slight rubbing on knee and breast of Liberty, also wing of eagle. Popular.**

1761. **1907 ROMAN DATE**, High Relief, also flat rim variety, attractive satin-finish, free from the usual abrasions. RARE SO CHOICE!

1762. **1907 Arabic Date, No Motto, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! Scarce date. Called "Teddy Roosevelt's Godless Coins" at time of issue.**

1763. **1908 No Motto, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!**

1764. 1908-D No Motto, Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE.

1765. **1909 OVER 8, Uncirculated orange. SCARCE. Recent ad $395.00.**

1765. **1909 OVER 8, Uncirculated orange. SCARCE. Recent at $395.00.**

1769. 1910 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE.

1768. **1910-D Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!**

1769. **1911-D Brililant Uncirculated GEM! Pristine!**

1770. 1911-S Brilliant orange Uncirculated.

1771. **1912 Brilliant Uncirculated, tiny nick. SCARCE.**

1772. **1913 Brilliant Uncirculated, tiny bag-mark. SCARCE.**

1773. **1913-S Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. RARE.**

1774. 1914 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE. SCARCE.

1775. **1914-D Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!**

1776. **1923-D Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! SCARCE.**

1777. 1924 Brilliant Uncirculated, CHOICE.

1778. **1924-S Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! RARE. Recent ad B.U. $850.00. This GEM Surely worth at least $1,000.00.**

1779. 1925 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

1780. 1926 Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

1781. **1926-S Brilliant Uncirculated GEM! RARE.**

$20 1929 UNCIRCULATED

1782. **1929 BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED. VERY RARE! EASILY WORTH INTO THE "HIGH FOUR FIGURES", POSSIBLY CLOSER TO "FIVE FIGURES".**

$2½ 1871 GEM PROOF GOLD

1783. **$2½ 1871 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! ONLY 30 STRUCK OVER A CENTURY AGO. OF THE FEW STILL IN EXISTENCE, AN EQUAL MAY EXIST BUT CERTAINLY NOT A SUPERIOR ONE!** We expect spirited bidding for this outstanding rarity.

$5 1869 GEM PROOF GOLD

1784. **$5 1869 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! ONLY 25 STRUCK OVER A CENTRY AGO.** Rare date in any condition but **EXCESSIVELY RARE IN PROOF. AN EQUAL SPECIMEN MAY EXIST BUT CERTAINLY NOT A SUPERIOR ONE!**

$10 1869 GEM PROOF GOLD

1785. **$10 1869 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE GEM PROOF! ONLY 25 STRUCK OVER A CENTURY AGO.** While about the same number of proof and business strikes were made, according to our records extending back into the 1930's, the eagle has been offered fewer times than the half eagle. **An EQUAL SPECIMAN MAY EXIST BUT CERTAINLY NOT A SUPERIOR ONE!**

$20 1861 GEM PROOF GOLD

1786. **$20 1861 NO MOTTO, BRAILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF! PRISTINE! This is the** Wolfson specimen in original envelope sold by Stack's Oct., 1962, wherein they stated, **"SIX OR SO KNOWN"! "Struck during the Civil War period which in itself is noteworthy."**

WHAT AN OPPORTUNITY. EXCESSIVE RARITY AND UNIMPROVABLE CONDITION. No matter what the successful buyer may pay, we cannot help but feel that the new price will appear as a "bargain" in the near future.

$20 1892 GEM PROOF GOLD

1787. **$20 1892 BRILLIANT WIRE EDGE PROOF! ONLY 93 STRUCK.** A rare date in any condition but **VERY RARE IN PROOF. AN EQUAL SPECIMEN MAY EXIST BUT CERTAINLY NOT A SUPERIOR ONE!**

1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC SET GOLD-SILVER IN BOX

1788 **1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC SET 5 IN ORIGINAL PLUSH BOX** lettered **"Panama-Pacific International Exposition 1915 - San Francisco - U.S.A. COMMEMORATIVE COINS Authorized By Act Of Congress Struck At San Francisco Mint"**. A description of the coins and designers is underneath the mounting. Set consists of $50 Octagon, $50 Round, $2½, $1 gold and 50¢ silver. A lovely set, choicer than most seen. Popular.

A similar set brought $22,000.00 in the Feb. auction of Superior (Las Angeles). Another set in the copper frame brought $31,000.00, after spirited bidding, a month later in New York auction by Stack's. Since then, we note several ads in the $32,000.00 to $35,000.00 range. PLATE

$50 GOLD 1915 PANAMA-PACIFIC OCTAGON

1789. $50 1915 OCTAGON, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED GEM! Popular. New records being set.

$1 GOLD COMMEMORATIVES

1790. $1 1922 Grant with Star, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

1791. $1 1903 Jefferson, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

1792. $1 1903 McKinley, Brilliant Uncirculated, pinpoint nick on reverse.

1793. $1 1916 McKinley, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

1794. $1 1917 McKinley, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

1795. $1 1915 Panama-Pacific, Brilliant Uncirculated GEM!

Possibly the most intriguing, historical and interesting series of American Coinage. Much research, study, books and articles about the "Necessity Coins Of The West" has been done. In fact, new material and coins are still being uncovered. There has been a new surge of interest in this series the past year resulting in many new records being set, both in outright sales and in auctions. In fact, some have doubled and even tripled in value during the past year. The trend, while still continuing, seems to be more selective in nature with the truly chaice and rarest pieces being in strongest demand.

AUGUSTUS HUMBERT — U.S. ASSAY OFFICE OF GOLD S.F. PROVISIONAL MINT CONTRACT COINAGE FOR U.S. GOV'T.

Congress authorized a United States Assayer (Augustus Humbert) to supervise the coins struck by Moffat & Co. under contract from the U.S. Government. The Government stamp UNITED STATES OF AMERICA and the assayer AUGUSTUS HUMBERT UNITED STATES ASSAYER OF GOLD CALIFORNIA appear on the coins, together with their Gold Fineness and value. In January, 1852, Augustus Humbert's name was replaced with UNITED STATES ASSAY OFFICE OF GOLD SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA, with coinage proceeding through 1853; at which time the U.S. Government bought out the private firm and established it as the San Francsico U.S. Mint (regular U.S. coinage starting 1854). Collected as U.S. coinage as well as "Pioneer Gold".

$50 GOLD 1851 "HUMBERT"—CHOICE

1796. **$50 1851 AUGUSTUS HUMBERT, reeded edge, 880 THOUS., Virtually Uncirculated,** only barest friction, considerable luster, nearly complete Wire Edge around obverse. SHARPER STRUCK THAN MOST with only UNITED STATES, while fairly sharp, is not fully struck up (portion not having wire edge). Usual minute imperfections in planchet at striking (nearly all we have seen over the years have them, therefore they are seldom mentioned) resulitng in what appars to be a tiny edge nick but is actually a planchet imperfection at time of striking. **AN OUTSTANDING SPECIMEN!** Easily worth into "Five Figures."

5500

$50 GOLD 1851 UNLISTED "TRANSITIONAL"

1797. $50 M ounted in holder lettered **"$50 GOLD SLUG, AUGUST HUMBERT 1851 CALIFORNIA, REEDED EDGE 887 THOUS., Obverse Similar To Regular 1851 But Reverse Of 1852 With Small Center Target And Small Outer Ring. UNLISTED MAJOR VARIETY. This is a part of the U.S. coinage since they were struck for and by the authority of the United States under the supervision of the U.S. Assayer, August Humbert".** Very Fine to Extra Fine obverse, later die state(most normal 1851 are from this die state) with AUGUSTUS and OF GOLD not struck up. The reverse is EXTRA FINE. The normal amount of "handling marks" for this grade are there. Better than most 1851 $50 gold "slugs" we have seen.

ONLY 3 OR 4 SPECIMENS REPORTED, EVEN THOUGH CAREFUL SEARCH HAS BEEN MADE SINCE THE DISCOVERY SPECIMEN WAS PUBLICIZED IN 1956!

Certainly a substantial "Five Figures" Rarity with a potential of sometime reaching "Six Figures". To date, it is **"THE RAREST COLLECTABLE $50 GOLD".**

15,000

$50 GOLD 1852 "HUMBERT"—UNCIRCULATED

1798. **$50 1852 AUGUSTUS HUMBERT, UNCIRCULATED! FULL MINT LUSTER!** Careful examination reveals that the slight flattening in the center of the eagle was caused by the striking and is not due to wear. In fact, **THIS IS THE SHARPEST STRUCK SPECIMEN OF THHIS VARIETY THAT WE HAVE SEEN!** Most come with severe weakness in the outer legend. The outer legend on this remarkable speciment is **UNUSUALLY BOLD! No signs of wear.** In fact, **THE REVERSE IS SUPERB!** The only fault one might find, if he were super-critical, is the minute bag-mark in field. **ONLY STRUCK A FEW DAYS BEFORE THE CHANGE TO "UNITED STATES ASSAY OFFICE." ONE OF THE MOST UNDERRATED OF ALL THE $50 "SLUG" VARIETIES! "EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS CHOICE STATE OF PRESERVATION!** We have seen "Uncirculated" specimens of the "commoner" varieties at $20,000 to $25,000. What then, is this Far Greater **Rarity worth? PLATE**

15,500

$10 1852 AUGUSTUS HUMBERT

1799. **$10 1852 OVER 1, Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction, characteric reverse die break. A difficult coin to find so nice. In fact, the Guidebook does not price it in this choice state of preservation.** We saw one in Boston A.N.A. (a shade less in condition) priced $1,500; this superior specimen now probably worth closer to $2,000.

1,500.00

1800. **$10 UNLISTED VARIETY.** Acquired as **"ERROR DIE (IINITED) Similar to 1801 3-Errors 1¢. Virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction,** slight contact mark on edge reeding (discernable only after removing it from holder). Bought earlier this year at $2,500.00 Present value?

2,100

$20 1853 U.S. ASSAY OFFICE — UNLISTED VARIETY

1801. **$20 1853 UNITED STATES ASSAY OFFICE OF GOLD SAN FRANCISCO CALIFORNIA, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK GEM! PRISTINE!** Rare variety with **INVERTED "V" FOR "A" IN AMERICA!** The condition alone places it is the "Several Thousand Dollars" category, but as a **"Rare Naked-Eye Variety", it is worth substantially more!**

3,750

$5 1849 NORRIS, GRIEG & NORRIS

1802. **1849 Reeded Edge, very close to Uncirculated with only slight friction, pin point edge nick. RARE SO CHOICE! The first California Gold Coin listed. Scarcer than the plain edge variety. Acquired earlier this year at $1,975.00. Present value in this strong market for Rare & Choice?**

1,550

1803. **1849 Plain Edge, sharpness of Extremely Fine but porous planchet. Acquired earlier this year at $1,250.00. Present value?**

950

MOFFAT & CO.

1804. **$5 1849 Extremely Fine & Sharp, "S.M.V. (Standard Mint Value) California GOLD". Popular. Acquired earlier this year at $850.00. Present value?**

750

1805. **$5 1850 Extremely Fine, reverse at right angle to obverse. Cost $850.00. Present value?**

750

1806. $20 1853 Fine to Very Fine with abrasions indicating its extensive use.

$10 1849 MINERS BANK

1807. $10 (1849) MINERS BANK, BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED, CHOICE! EXTREMELY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE STATE OF PRESERVATION. WELL WORTH CLOSE TO "FIVE FIGURES". 4,250

$5 1849 PACIFIC COMPANY

1808. Accompanying the coin is "1849 PACIFIC COMPANY CALIFORNIA around eagle; Reverse 5 DOLLARS below radiant liberty cap interspersed with stars, practically Uncirculated, reeded edge. Struck on planchet said to be of low grade gold and then gold plated. Owner says he paid $14,500.00 Only three regular gold specimens are known (in Mint collection; the the C. Williams piece and the Brand piece which we sold in our March, 1964 auction and which was finally knocked down after spirited bidding at $18,000." "May, 1966". It sold there at $7,000.00. The price of $14,500.00 said to have been paid for it some years ago now seems to be more in keeping with present values for this historical series. We note a Georgia dealer was offering to pay $27,500.00 for an XF specimen in June. The price structure for Pioneer Gold is now higher. PLATE 10,500

$10 1850 BALDWIN & CO.

1809. $10 1850 BALDWIN & CO., CALIFORNIA GOLD, popular cowboy type, Uncirculated. Struck in either copper or white metal and gold-plated. Notation says "Walton gold coin in October 1963 was bid on for $8,000.00." Acquired from Jan. 1965 Federal Brand (Cleveland) price list at $1,450.00. Present value? 1,500

$10 & $50 WASS, MOLITOR & COMPANY

1810. $10 1852 Large Head, Very Fine, typical strike(as on all we have seen) from dished dies with reverse not as sharp as obverse. Acquired earlier this year at $1,950.00. Present value ? 1600

overgraded

1811. $50 1855 ROUND (popular as the only "Round $50" available.) Extremely Fine with some sections suggesting a higher grade, typical strike with LL in DOLLARS not fully struck up, traces of luster. ONLY A SMALL AMOUNT OF BAG-MARKS COMPARED TO MOST SPECIMENS WE HAVE SEEN OVER THE YEARS! Far superior to most we have seen(which were "tooled" to remove the numerous abrasions which seem to plague these large soft coins). We have seen specimens this year priced at $17,500 and $20,000.00 which are certainly not superior and we doubt if they were even equal to this choice one. EXTREMELY RARE SO CHOICE! 12,000

$20 1854-55 KELLOGG & CO.

1812. $20 1854 KELLOGG & CO. Short arrows variety, yellow gold, near Uncirculated, unusually sharp hair. Acquired earlier this year at $1,500.00. 1,250

1813. $20 1855 Long Arrows, orange gold, near Uncirculated, sharp hair. Acquired earlier this year at $1,500.00 1,250

1849 CALIFORNIA MODELS SET & 1852 CALIF. COUNTER

1814. **1849 SET CALIFORNIA Model Half Eagle, Model Dollar, Model Half Dollar, Model 1/4 Dollar mounted in holder. Listed in Adams 1913 book "PRIVATE GOLD COINAGE". Acquired earlier this year at $1,000.00** 1,050

1815. **1852 & 13 Stars around Liberty Head, rev. CALIFORNIA COUNTER around flag, $20 size, extremely fine, gold-plated, scratch (to see if gold?) Mounted in plastic lettered Adams 34, Coins Of California.** 475

FRACTIONAL CALIFORNIA GOLD

1816. **HALF DOLLARS** 1856 oct. ex. fine; 1870-G, 1871G round fine. 72

1817. $½ Size octagon "1886 CAL. GOLD CHARM", "EUREKA" above sea scene, Proof. 45

1818. **1849 BRITISH COLUMBIA GOLD TOKENS** on holder, Large size $1 Liberty, 10 stars, 1849 CANADA on head, rev. BRITISH COLUMBIA GOLD around eagle with REG. below; smaller size $1 Liberty, 9 stars, 1849, MRIA on head, rev. ONE above shield with REG. 9K Y below; $½ Liberty, 7 stars, 1849, rev. ¼ above shield. Burine says **"They are all quite rare and very seldom offered for sale. I believe they were made for the Hart Co." (who sold a numbr of State Gold tokens at the 1915 Panama Pacific Exposition.** 350

1849 MORMON GOLD $2½, $5, $20

1819. **$2½ 1849 "HOLINESS TO THE LORD" around bishops' hat and eye, rev. G.S.L.C.P.G. (Great Salt Lake City Pure Gold) TWO.AND.HALF.DO. around 1849 and clasped hands (exemplify** strength in unity). **Virtually Uncirculated, only barest rubbing, SHARPLY STRUCK!** All we have seen over the years have come with varying degrees of weakness due to their being struck from "dished dies". This is from the **EXTREMELY RARE EARLY DIE STATE WITH COMPLETE AND SHARP DATE, AS WELL AS FULL DETAILS IN THE HANDS,** only the beginning stage of the die failure below the the eye is apparent. **EXCESSIVELY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE STATE OF PRESERVATION FROM THIS DESIRABLE EXTREMELY RARE EARLY DIE STATE!** Scott states **"Always found bulged from sunken obv. die, and seldom with all letters plain."** 3300

Acquired earlier this year as **"SHARP STRUCK GEM"** and **"FINEST KNOWN"** at $3,500.00. We admit it is the choicest specimen we can recall in our Forty Years As Professional Numismatists but we do not know if it is the "Finest Known".

This beauty should certainly now be a "Mid Four Figures" coin.

1820. **$5 1850 UNCIRCULATED, SHARPLY STRUCK! EXTREMELY RARE SO CHOICE! Acquired earlier this year at $3,500.00 Present value?** 3300

1821. **$20 1849 Obverse with Bishop's SHARP and EVENLY STRUCK, QUALIFYING IT AS ABOUT EXTREMELY FINE! Reverse VERY FINE except for weakness at TY, clasped hands evenly worn but still fairly sharp.** Scott states **"LOW R7.(ONLY 10 TO 12 KNOWN). Usually weakly struck at clasped hands."** 9000

Among THE MOST WANTED AND RAREST OF PIONEER AND TERRITORIAL GOLD! Easily worth "WELL INTO FIVE FIGURES" and possibly not far from "MID FIVE FIGURES". **PLATE**

1860 CLARK, GRUBER & CO.

1822. $2½ 1860 "CLARK & CO." on coronet, rev. "PIKES PEAK GOLD DENVER", lovely **BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED SPECIMEN with BROAD RAISED EDGE BOTH SIDES, SHARP "SQUARE" PERFECT REEDING** (generally associated with **PROOFS or SPECIMEN** Strikes), **SHARPLY STRUCK with VERY RARE EARLY DIE STATE** showing only beginning stage of die failure at center (only ear of Liberty & corner of shield on corresponding portion of reverse not fully struck up). **EXTREMELY RARE IN THIS REMARKABLE CONDITION!** 2,900

The popularity of this series, particularly the last six or seven months, has resulted in some sharp increases in value—especially for those in "Top Condition". This particular specimen was acquired earlier this year at $2,500.00. After seeing the specimen at the Boston A.N.A. convention in August, and their prices, we conclude that the $2,500 paid for this remarkable specimen earlier this year is now a "bargain". In a ratio of values, in comparison with the other specimens, this Exceptionally Choice one should now be worth upwards of $3,500.00.

1823. $20 1860, **"PIKES PEAK GOLD TWENTY D."** around stylized triangular mountain with **"DENVER"** below, rev. **"1860 CLARK GRUBER & CO."** around eagle, **virtually Uncirculated, only barest friction.** Gold-plated pattern ? lisetd in Scott as **"R7. (ONLY 7 to 9 KNOWN)" which would make it as Rare, if not actually Rarer than the regular gold specimens.** Acquired earlier this year at $2,500.00. Present value? 2500

1861 CLARK, GRUBER & CO.

1824. **$2½ 1861, "PIKES PEAK" on coronet, rev. "CLARK GRUBER & CO. DENVER", virtually Uncirculated, only slight friction, Wire Edge. Desirable early die state with only slight weakness of striking at ear and corresponding spot on reverse (top left corner of shield) normal edge reeding.** Specimens in E.F. and A.U. have been offered at the March through June convention by dealers with price tags hovering in the $1,500.00 range. At the Boston A.N.A. we saw at "A.U." one(not quite as sharp as this one) at $1,975.00. Present value? 1,500

1825. $2½ 1861, Acquired as **UNLISTED VARIETY: Similar to normal dies except EXTRA HIGH EDGE, CLOSER THAN NORMAL EDGE REEDING and RECUT STAR above P in PIKES. SHARPER IN STRIKE THAN ANY I HAVE SEEN, UNCIRCULATED."** Cost $5,000. 5000

It is indeed, **THE CHOICEST $2½ CLARK GRUBER WE HAVE SEEN!** The condition alone makes it worth several thousand dollars but as an **UNLISTED VARIETY,** it is worth a substantial additional premium. Present value?

1826. $5 1861, Similar to above type except lettering is larger and "FIVE D.", **UNCIRCULATED, SHARP STRUCK WITH WIRE EDGE!** The center curl and ear instead of being the usual weak strike, are close to being Fully Struck Up. **The neck of the eagle and top of the shield are much sharper than usually encountered. FULL MINT LUSTER WITHOUT ANY HANDLING MARKS OR ABRASIONS, LOVELY YELLOW COLOR! Truly deserving of being called a "GEM"!** It might be a bit presumptuous for us to place a value on such an unusual specimen, however there was one at the March New York City convention priced at $3,500.00. Although it was described as "GEM", we do not know how it could be superior to this specimen. The price level for choice "Pioneer & Territorial Gold "has advanced since then. The specimen herein offered is struck from the die with RECUT "E" IN FIVE D. 3500

1827. $10 1861, Acquird as **"UNLISTED VARIETY, RECUT DATE (recut first "I" at bottom), SHARPER IN STRIKE THAN NORMALLY SEEN, CHOICE ABOUT UNCIRCULATED"** at a cost of $2,950.00

It is indeed an **Exceptionally Nice Strike from the RARE EARLY DIE STATE** before the failure of the die at the eagle's claws progressed very far. **Its Exceptional Condition alone would make it compare favorably in price with specimens we have seen offered** (as normal die specimens). Present value?

2750

1861 $20 CLARK, GRUBER UNCIRCULATED

1828. $20 1861. Acquired as **"V" OVER "N" (DENNER) IN DENVER. UNCIRCULATED. Similar to Painter specimen** (Kenyon Painter collection, booklet with photographs written by A. Kosoff and copyright by Sol Kaplan 1964) **which had one struck from regular dies (very fine). The other "from a different die than that used on the regular issue. All of the stars and the date were recut. The date is a bit smaller than on the regular issue and the stars, originally cut larger are now considerably less uniform, especially those facing Liberty. The border is raised, edge milled. Extremely Rare. Mr. Painter believes it to be unique. Very Fine."**

"This coin also has a RAISED BORDER and RECUTTING IN DATE AND STARS". The owner paid $15,000.00 for it.

It is indeed a lovely specimen with nearly all of its **ORIGINAL LUSTER** and is remarkably free from the usual nicks or abrasions. A glass would show faint "rubbing" or friction on the high point, which may have been caused by its reposing in collections for the past century. **IT IS ONE OF THE SHARPEST STRUCK SPECIMENS WE HAVE SEEN! PLATE**

15000

1861 PATTERN GOLD-PLATED CLARK, GRUBER $2½-5-10-20

1829 **1861 COMPLETE SET FOUR** struck in copper (reeded edge) and Gold-PLATED. **The $2½, $5, $20 ARE BRILLIANT PROOFS! The $10 is BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED.** While single specimens have occasionally appeared over the years, **THIS IS THE FIRST TIME WE CAN RECALL CATALOGING A COMPLETE SET IN ALL OUR 300 SALES!** This is understandable when one considers the rarity of some pieces, particularly the $20 which is listed in Scott as **RARITY 7 (ONLY 7 TO 9 KNOWN)!** We note some individual specimens (not as choice as these) were at the Boston A.N.A. at prices close to $1,000 each. What then, should this complete set in this remarkable condition be worth? Surely over $5,000 and possibly closer to $10,000.00. It is difficult to "project" values for Extremely Rare coins since their very rarity prevents them from being offered sufficiently to be "touted" and new records set.

4.600

C. BECHTLER CAROLINA & GEORGIA GOLD 1830-42

1830. $5 C. BECHTLER At Rutherf, CAROLINA GOLD 124.G. 21 Carats, near Uncirculated with Much Original Mint Luster still adhering. Scott states "Worn die, serrations gone". This is one of the better strikes with only slight weakening at the tips of NA. Interesting variety with Inverted Reverse. Popular. PLATE. 1,550

1831. $2½ BECHTLER Rutherf, GEORGIA GOLD 64.G 22 Carats, uneven 22 (first low, second high) interesting variety with Inverted "V" in place of A's in CARATS, near Uncirculated, Quite Sharp. Acquired earlier this year at $1,250.00. Popular. Present value? PLATE 1,550

UNLISTED 19TH CENTURY GOLD BAR

1832. Rectangular Gold Bar, stamped Mrs. NASH, yellow gold with slightly porous face, 2¾ ozs, 1½ inches long, ½ inch wide and nearly ½ inch high. The present owner states "I got it from B. Max Mehl about 25 years ago. Mahl said that it had been in his personal collection of bars about 30 years or so and that the collection from which it came was formed in the Nineteenth Century. Mehl further stated that he believed it was made somewhere around the 1870's, when it was customary to make up small gold ingots for important stockholders or owners of the gold mines." Interesting piece for further research. Valued by owner at $5,000.00. We do not know whether this valuation is too high or too low — it depends upon what further research uncovers regarding its history. We did see three gold bars at the Boston A.N.A. convention; two small ones were priced around $5,000.00 each and the large one at around $25,000.00. They had more stampings on them regarding their origin. PLATE

1907 $20 ST. GAUDENS GOLD PATTERN

1833. $20 1907 J-1779a, "Regular dies trial piece, "Arabic" date type. Brass — L. E. (Lettered Edge) R. 7. All seen to date have been mutilated at mint by being passed through rollers, acquiring elongated oval shape." NOT LISTED IN THE FIRST THREE EDITIONS OF JUDD! Its GREAT RARITY is established. What remains to be established is its value. As a SAINT GAUDENS GOLD PATTERN, IT IS OF THE HIGHEST DESIRABILITY!

It is interesting to note that J-1778, the 1907 Roman Date $20 in extra high relief listed by Judd as R.6 (22 struck) with a Judd value of $32,500 (1970) recently sold for $125,000.00. Perhaps there is some relation between that and this rolled-out pattern. Perhaps not. You decide.

LINCOLN GOLD TOKENS

1834. **$1 Gold Size (Large) "1927 Abraham Lincoln" around bust, rev. "A TOKEN" & crossed axes. Another dated 1939 with stars on rev., GEM MATTE PROOF PAIR.** **250.00**

1835. $5 Gold Size, bust Lincoln right in High Relief, otherwise blank, Prooflike.

CONFEDERATE GOLD REPLICA

1836. Confederate Half Dollar die, rev. Confederate seal 22 February 1862, etc., **struck in gold, BRILLIANT PROOF.** Holder has "CONFEDERATE Replica".

5 OZS. 1939 PLATINUM NEW YORK FAIR MEDAL

1837. **HUGE 2¼ INCHES MEDAL "1939 NEW YORK WORLD'S FAIR, BAKER PLATINUM NEWARK, PLATINUM FROM THE MINES OF CANADA — WORLD'S LARGEST DEALERS IN PLATINUM METALS", rev. "PLATINUM TROY WT. FIVE OZS. 999 FINE, ENGELHARD INDUSTRIES, BAKER & CO., INC. NEWARK, N.J. U.S.A., REFINERS and WORKERS of PLATINUM, GOLD, SILVER".**

LOVELY GLITTERING PROOF! Interesting design with moon, stars, etc. **THE LARGEST PLATINUM PIECE WE CAN SECALL SEEING IN ALL OUR FORTY YEARS AS PROFESSIONAL NUMISMATISTS!** Highly desirable as a **1939 WORLD'S FAIR PIECE.**

Possibly **UNIQUE** as this is the only specimen to the best of our knowledge. Quite understandable, when one considers how many Russian platinum coins of the early 19th century, as well as other platinum coins and medals were melted for their metal value during World War II, when platinum reached $400 an ounce. That would make this 5 ozs. piece worth $2,000 in metal value alone about 20 years ago. **Very few specimens were struck in 1939 and we do not know of the existence of another one!**

As B. Max Mehl would say, **"I do not know which is rarer; the piece itself or the opportunity to buy it." PLATE**

COLORADO TERRITORY

1838. **$5 DENVER, COLORADO NATIONAL, August 15th, 1866,** No Charter number. F397, Very Good with tiny repair at tip of corner. A well preserved note with clear signatures and even wear. We ran a $2 note from the same bank in somewhat better condition in our April 1973 (300th) sale where it realized $5,100. The increasing demand for Rare Territorials leads us to believe that this EXTREMELY RARE TERRITORIAL should now be worth closer to 3,500.00

COLORADO NATIONALS

1839. **$5 FIRST CHARTER, Series 1875, BOULDER, National State (2355), date 1877, VERY RARE BANK! F402, Fine. VERY RARE NOTE.** 600.00

1840. **$5 FIST CHARTER, Series 1875, DENVER, German (2351), date 1877, EXTREMELY RARE BANK, LIQUIDATED IN 1894! F402, Very Good with some uneveneness around edges. Well worth** 750.00

POSSIBLY UNIQUE IDAHO SPRINGS NATIONAL

1841. **$20 1882-1908 BACK, IDAHO SPRINGS, Merchants and Miners (5989). AN INCREDIBLY SMALL TOTAL FACE VALUE OF ONLY $1,250 OUTSTANDING FROM ALL SERIES SINCE 1917 (bank liquidated in 1918)!** In view of these facts, credence must be given to the owner's claim that this note is possibly **UNIQUE.** By far the smallest outstanding issue of any Colorado note and certainly among the rarest of all national bank notes issued by all the banks in the U.S.! This note has an Extremely Fine face with its back not quite as bright. The rarity of this note defies estimation.

EXCEEDINGLY RARE $100 RED SEAL COLORADO NATIONAL

1842. **$100 1902 RED SEAL, LEADVILLE,** Carbonate (3746), SERIAL #1! Scarce Bank liquidated 1925. Extremely Fine with square corners. All red seals are undervalued, but when one becomes available from a RARE STATE IN THE HIGHEST DENOMINATION, WITH SERIAL #1, it is a "once in a decade" opportunity and will probably result in a new record.

1843. **$10 1902-1908 AULT, Farmers (8167), VERY RARE BANK! F616, Very Good.**

1844. **$10 1902-1908 BACK, OLATHE, First (9719), VERY RARE BANK! F616, About Fine but with some rust spots.**

1845. $10 1902 DELTA, First (5467), RARE BANK liquidated 1929. F633, Extremely Fine.

1846. $20 1902 DENVER, THE UNITED STATES NATIONAL BANK (7408), one of the few "forbidden title" banks as the government stopped its use after a few banks had adopted the name. F650. New, crisp except for a faint crease.

1847. **$5 1929, CORTEZ, Montezuma Valley (9100), VERY RARE AND HISTORICAL NAME BANK! DESIRABLE #1! New, crisp CHOICE.** 250.00

UNIQUE $20 GOLD "DOUBLE STRUCK" MINT ERROR "THE KING OF MINT ERRORS"

1848. **$20 1904 SHARPLY DOUBLE STRUCK THROUGHOUT OBVERSE AND REVERSE! "A FANTASTIC" SHIFT IN THE SECOND STRIKING OVER THE FIRST STRIKING!** This occurred **IN THE COLLAR** which makes it even more dramatic! **BRILLIANT UNCIRCULATED CHOICE!**

NOT LISTED IN SCOTT, even though it does list a $3 gold (3 known)! **UNDOUBTEDLY UNIQUE!**

If the 1804 Dollar is **"THE KING OF AMERICAN COINS"**, then this **UNIQUE Double Eagle** is **"THE KING OF MINT ERRORS"! We could not believe this "Fantastic" Error existed until we actually saw it!** Certainly, **THE MOST DESIRABLE AND RAREST OF ALL ERRORS!**

It would be presumptuous of us to place a value on a Unique Gold piece such as this. Regardless if one offered $25,000.00, even $50,000.00, for another double-struck 1904 $20 Gold, who could supply one?

Surely this **UNIQUE GOLD ERROR** is a "Five Figures" coin — the only question in our mind is "How Much Of A "Five Figures" coin? **PLATE**

UNIQUE 1968-S MINT ERROR PROOF SET

1849. **1968-S Proof Set In Original Container but THE CENT IS STRUCK ON THE DIME PLANCHET!** We have checked with the leading authorities in Mint Errors and have been assured that **THIS SET IS UNIQUE!** We cannot see how it could happen, but it did. Proofs are made specially for collectors under rigid conditions and inspected a number of times during their production. **In fact, they are inspected so many times that it is virtually impossible for this to happen — but it did — once!**

Another different kind of error also occurred in 1968-S Proof Sets. Several sets exist with the "S" mint mark missing from the Dime. It is Extremely Rare, and the Guidebook indicates its existence (page 60) but does not price it. The Sept. Wall Street Coin Investor (page 2) lists this set at bid (prices dealers offering to pay) at $6,100.00 in August and $6,800.00 in Sept. **EVIDENTLY THE DEMAND FOR RARE PROOF ERROR SETS IS INCREASING, AND BEING REFLECTED IN RISING PRICES!**

It will be interesting to see what this **RARER ERROR PROOF SET** will bring. **PLATE**

SEMI-UNIQUE 1969-S MINT ERROR PROOF SET

1850. **1969-S Proof Set in Original Container but AN EXTRA KENNEDY HALF DOLLAR STRUCK ON A QUARTER PLANCHET IS IN THE PLACE OF THE QUARTER!** We will leave it to the mathematicians to estimate the odds that this could happen — but it did. **The leading Mint Error authorities have a record of only one other such set existing.**

In 1970-S, another Proof Error occured. 2,200 Proof Sets were struck with the "S" missing from the Dime! The Sept. Wall Street Coin Investor (page 2) lists this set at bid of $605.00 in August and $820 in September, again showing the increasing demand for MINT ERROR PROOF SETS! If the 2,200 1970-S MINT ERROR PROOF SETS are worth $820, then what is this 1969-S MINT ERROR PROOF SET worth of which only 2 are known? **PLATE**

UNIQUE 1802 HALF CENT STRUCK OVER A DOUBLE-STRUCK CENT

1851. Letter of authentication dated 1956 from Walter Breen states:
"This certifies that I have examined the accompanying coin and that I unhesitatingly declare it **AN AUTHENTIC MINT ERROR** of the kind described below, and **THE ONLY SUCH COIN KNOWN TO ME.**"

It is an 1802 regular type (Breen 27: Gilbert 1, the regular Cent Type reverse) half cent, **STRUCK OVER A DOUBLE-STRUCK 1802 large cent,** the RARE Sheldon 225, one of the striking being about 50% off-center with respect to the other, **BOTH Being Off-Center On Flan,** thus (diagram). This Spoiled Cent was rejected on cursory inspection, probably by the pressman at the time, flung into a box kept for the purpose, then in July, 1802 the box of Spoiled Cents (mostly pieces struck far off-center) went to the workmen at the rolling mill in the back building of the Mint with instructions to roll them all down to half-cent thickness and cut half-cent blanks from them. (The same thing had been done in 1796, 1797 and 1800). The rolling process obliterated most details of the cent devices and inscriptions, leaving on only those produced by the edge of the cent reverse meeting the obverse head-on (diagram), i.e. the border nearest STATES. (Only one half cent blank could be cut from a Spoiled roll-down cent; the crescent-shaped remainder went to the melter & refiner for melting for alloy). The parts remaining visible of the undertype leave these conclusions unequivocal and impossible to doubt. Half-cents of 1800 are unknown to exist showing traces of undertype though 5750 are recorded in the Archives as being made; half-cents of 1802 showing undertype are **EXTREMELY RARE** though all 1802's were made on blanks so fabricated. (Dupont sale, 1954 shows one; I have seen less than five altogether)." PLATE

1902/1 902 NICKEL — UNIQUE?

1852. **1902 DOUBLE STRUCK NICKEL with SECOND STRIKE SHIFTED OVER ¼ INCH!** Result: **1902/1 902, 16 STARS. etc.** Very Fine. Presumably **UNIQUE** as we cannot find a record. **PLATE**

DOUBLE MINT ERROR—UNIQUE?
1961-D SILVER CENT — RESTRUCK LATER AS 1962-D DIME

1853. **"DOUBLE MINT ERROR, 1961-D SILVER CENT STRUCK ON DIME PLANCHET, RESTRIKE LATER AS 1962-D DIME"** on holder. Presumably **UNIQUE** as we cannot find a record for another. **Surely such a "FANTASTIC" Error should be worth at least "Four Figures". PLATE**

1961-D COPPER QUARTER — KENNEDY ON 10¢ — KENNEDY 50% OFF

1854. **25¢ 1961-D STRUCK ON 1¢ PLANCHET. EXCESSIVELY RARE! PLATE**

1855. **50¢ KENNEDY STRUCK ON 10¢ SILVER PLANCHET. EXCESSIVELY RARE! PLATE**

1856. **50¢ KENNEDY STRUCK 50% OFF-CENTER ON SILVER PLANCHET. EXCESSIVELY RARE! PLATE**

3¢ FEUCHTWANGER 1837 & 1864 — CHOICE

1857. **3¢ 1837 Arms of New York, rev. FEUCHTWANGER'S COMPOSITION, THREE CENTS, Extremely Fine. VERY RARE SO CHOICE!** In demand as the **"FIRST U.S. 3¢ PIECE"**. By coincidence (?) this nickel piece can be related to the regular 1865 3¢ nickel. **The popularity (listed page 247 in Guidebook) should send this rarity well into "Four Figures". PLATE**

1858. **3¢ 1864 Eagle, rev. FEUCHTWANGER'S COMPOSITION 3 THREE CENTS, UNCIRCULATED WITH ORIGINAL LUSTER!** Did this "CIVIL WAR" 3¢ Piece influence the adoption of the regular 3¢ nickel (actually copper-nickel) resembling this? **VERY RARE SO CHOICE!** A specimen in the American Auction Assn. sale Nov., 1972 brought $750; surely this popular rarity now worth somewhat more, possibly closer to $1,500.00. **PLATE**

1929 NATIONAL CURRENCY UNCUT SHEETS OF SIX TYPE I

1859. $5 First, WESTBORO, MASS. (421) **SCARCE BANK. ALL EXTREMELY DESIRABLE #1!** New. RARE.

1860. $5 **Safety** Bank & Trust Company of NEW YORK, N.Y. (13260), New **"SAFETY" in name to attract customers.**

1861. $5 Mifflin County of LEWISTOWN, PA. (1579), ALL SIX EXTREMELY DESIRABLE #1! Bottom note near New with all others New. **VERY RARE.**

1862. $5 First of PHILADELPHIA, PA. (1) **FIRST NATIONAL BANK TO BE CHARTERED UNDER THE NATIONAL BANKING LAW OF 1863!** All are #2 NOTES, New, Reconstructed sheet (cut apart and then taped back together) but from the front, appears to be an uncut sheet. **POPULAR!**

1863. $10 First, City of NEW YORK, N.Y. (29), **ALL SIX NUMBER 1 NOTES!** New.

1864. $10 National of DEFIANCE, O (13457), ALL EXTREMELY DESIRABLE #1 NOTES, New. **VERY RARE.**

1929 NATIONAL CURRENCY UNCUT SHEETS OF SIX—TYPE II

1865. $5 Woodbine of WOODBINE, N.J. (12977), New, crisp. RARE!

1866. $10 National of TOLEDO, O. (14030), #1-2-3-4-5-6! New.

1867. **$10 Delaware County of DELAWARE, O. (13535) Scarce bank. #1-2-3-4-5-6! All New, RARE!**

1868. **$10 Mifflin County of LEWISTOWN, PA. (1579), #1-2-3-4-5-6! All New. RARE.**

1869. **$10 Bradford of BRADFORD, VT. (7267) VERY RARE BANK! #1-2-3-4-5-6! All New.**

1929 NATIONAL CURRENCY SHEETS OF SIX—PAIR TYPE I & II

1870. $5 National of MIDDLEBURY, Vt. (1195) Similar pair uncut sheets six, Type I with all EXTREMELY RARE #1 NOTES and Type II NUMBER 1-2-3-4-5-6; New pair of sheets, VERY RARE.

MEXICAN GOLD COINS

1871. **50 PESOS 1921 Uncirculated, some bag-marks. SCARCE. Recent ad ... 375.00**

1872. 50 PESOS 1922, 24, 25, 29 Near unc. to Uncirculated, some bag-marks.

1873. 50 PESOS 1926 Near Uncirculated, some bag-marks. Scarce.

1874. 20 PESOS 1917, 19, 19, 20 (scarce), 59, 59 Extremely Fine to Uncirculated.

1875. 10 PESOS 1906, 07, 07, 17, 59, 59 Extremely Fine to Uncirculated.

1876. 5 PESOS 1906 (12), 18, 20 (3) Ex. Fine to Uncirculated; 1906 scratched.

1877. 2½ PESOS 1918 (8), 19 (3), 20 (3) Scarce, 45 (6) Extremely Fine to Unc.

1878. 2 PESOS 1919 (3), 20, 45 (2) Near unc. to Uncirculated.

1879. 1 PESO 1899 (2), 1900, 02 Near unc. to uncirculated, Mo mint. Scarce.

TYPE SET MINOR & SILVER

1880. HALF CENTS 1808, 1828 13 stars, 1853 very good to fine.

1881. LARGE CENTS 1795 pln, 1803, 1814, 1827 fair to good; 1851 v.f.

1882. CENTS 1857 E.F., 1859 fine, 1863 A.U., 1907-43-57D-60D A.U.

1883. 2¢ 1865 Scratched; 3¢ 1853 E.F., 1862 V.F.; 3¢ nickel 1866 V.F.

1884. NICKELS 1867 Rays fair, 1869 good, 1883 no Cents E.F., 1903 fine, 1913 var. 1 unc. 1938-D Buf. unc. 1945-D unc, 1953-S A.U.

1885. HALF DIMES 1832 V.F., 37 no stars & 53 good, 57-0 gd., 70 nicked.

1886. DIMES 1821 Large Date v.g., 1831 very good.

1887. DIMES 1838-O & 53-O fine; 57 & 76-CC v.g., 74-S gd., 1912 v.g. 40-S V.G., 60 unc.

1888. 20¢ 1875-S v.g.; 25¢ 1805 plugged hole, worn; 1821 & 1834 good; 1853 & 1854 damaged; 1859-O v.f.; 1874, 76, 1906-D fair; 1916 Barber fine.

1889. QUARTERS 1930, 1962-D Brilliant Uncirculated.

1890. HALVES 1807 Rt. good; 1825 fine; 1837 v.g.; 1838 fair; 1843-O E.F. 1853 good 1854 fine; 1874, 76, 1909 good.

1891. HALVES 1947, 1963-D Brilliant Uncirculated.

1892. DOLLARS 1795 Flowing Hair good but plugged hole; 1799 poor.

1893. DOLLARS 1846, 1872 good-v.g.; 1887 & 1922 unc.; Trade $1 1877 good.

1894. FRACTIONAL CURRENCY 3¢ F1226; 5¢ F1232; 10¢ F1242; 15¢ F1271 E.F. to A.U.; 25¢ F1309 & 50¢ F1375 fine in plastic.

SMALL SIZE CURRENCY

1895. $2 1928-E VERTICAL UNCUT PAIR, J- Vinson, SUPERB! SCARCE.

1896. **$5 1928-D LEGAL, VERTICAL UNCUT PAIR, J-Vinson. SUPERB! SCARCE.**

1897. **$1 1928-A SILVER, Rare Block No. Y06911282B, SUPERB! Catalogs .. 150.00**

1898. $1 1935 Rare Block P25336247A, choice except tiny paper ripple at rt. Cat. 125.00

1899. **$1 1935 Rare Block No. Q05412747A, choice except paper ripple at rt. Cat. ... 200.00**

1900. **$1 1935-A Rare Block No. Q99170208A, choice except paper ripple at rt. Cat. 200.00**

1901. **$20 1934 HAWAII, No. L77123160A, New, crisp, CHOICE. RARE. Catalogs 475.00**

— END OF FOURTH SESSION —

MAIL BID SECTION

Lots 2000 - 2100

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS CENTS

Prices listed are those appearing in August Coin World ads (where available).

2000. 1909-V.D.B. Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Popular "type". Not advertised for sale but dealers offering to pay $8 to $10 each.
2001. 1929-S Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs 225.00
2002. 1930 Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs 150.00
2003. 1930-S Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs 262.50
2004. 1931 Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Rare. Catalogs 675.00

2005. 1931-S Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. RARE. Catalogs 2,250.00

2006. 1932 Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Scarce. Catalogs 500.00
2007. 1933-D Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Rare. Catalogs 825.00
2008. 1934 Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs 112.50
2009. 1934-D Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Scarce. Catalogs 275.00
2010. 1935-S Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs 125.00
2011. 1936-D-S Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50 each. Ad 64.00
2012. 1938-D Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Ad 61.50
2013. 1939-D Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Scarce. 68.00
2014. 1941-S Original Mint Red Uncirculated roll 50. Scarce. Ad 73.00

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS NICKELS

2015. 1926 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. SCARCE. Catalogs 875; worth more

2016. 1931-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. LOW ISSUE! Catalogs 2,100.00

2017. 1936-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Scarce. Catalogs 237.50
2018. 1937-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Scarce. Catalogs 250.00
2019. 1944-D SILVER, Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 91.00
2020. 1944-S SILVER, Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 89.00

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS DIMES

No ads on Mercury dime rolls. Market setting new records for them.

2021. 1935 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs low at 200.00
2022. 1936-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. RARE. Catalogs 500.00
2023. 1937 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Catalogs much too low at only 150.00
2024. 1937-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. RARE. Roll now worth about $50 less than 1936-S.
2025. 1938-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. RARE. Now worth about $70 less than 1936-S.
2026. 1939-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Probably now worth around 200.00
2027. 1941-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Probably now worth around 175.00
2028. 1942-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Should exceed 125.00
2029. 1944-P-D-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50 each. Scarce.
2030. 1945-P-D-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50 each. Scarce.
2031. 1947-P-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50 each. Ad 121.00
2032. 1948-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Ad 67.00
2033. 1950 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Ad 95.00
2034. 1950-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Ad 86.00
2035. 1951-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 50. Ad 52.00
2036. 1955-D Original Choice Uncirculated lot 4 rolls 50 each. Ad total 104.00

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS QUARTERS

No ads on early rolls. Market setting new records for them.

2037. 1935 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. No ad. SCARCE. Should somewhat exceed low catalog of only 300.00

2038. 1936-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. RARE! Easily worth over 1,400.00

2039. 1937-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. RARE. Easily worth 1,000.00

2040. 1939 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. SCARCE. Probably worth around 300.00
2041. 1940-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. SCARCE. Probably worth over 250.00
2042. 1941-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. RARE. Easily worth 500.00
2043. 1945-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Scarce. Ad 140.00
2044. 1947-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 82.00
2045. 1948 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 58.00
2046. 1949-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. SCARCE. Ad 245.00
2047. 1950 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 60.00
2048. 1952-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 40.00
2049. 1955 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. Ad 42.00
2050. 1955-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 40. LOW ISSUE. Ad 100.00

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS HALVES

2051. 1936 Original Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. Ad 425.00

2052. 1936-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. RARE! Easily worth over 1,400.00

2053. 1940-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20 but typical weak strike center. "Average strike" rolls worth about $350; this worth?
2054. 1941-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. 425.00
2055. 1946-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. Ad 460.00
2056. 1946-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. Ad 400.00
2057. 1950-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. Ad 450.00
2058. 1951-D Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. Ad 405.00
2059. 1952-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. SCARCE. Ad 375.00
2060. 1956 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. Low Issue. Ad 58.00
2061. 1964-P-D KENNEDY, Choice Uncirculated roll 20 each. Ad $26 each; pr. 52.00

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS DOLLARS

2062. 1879-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20, PROOFLIKE. Catalogs 140.00
2063. 1880-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 140.00
2064. 1881-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20, PROOFLIKE. Catalogs 140.00
2065. 1884-O Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20, PROOFLIKE. Catalogs 140.00
2066. 1885-O Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 140.00
2067. 1887 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 140.00
2068. 1887-S Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. RARE. Catalogs 700.00
2069. 1892-O Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. RARE. Catalogs 900.00
2070. 1901-O Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20, PROOFLIKE. Catalogs 140.00
2071. 1903 Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 400.00
2072. 1921-D Average Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 220.00
2073. 1921-S Average Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 200.00
2074. 1922 Average Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 140.00
2075. 1922-D Average Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 200.00
2076. 1924 Average Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 140.00
2077. 1926-S Average Uncirculated roll 20. Catalogs 400.00

CHOICE ORIGINAL UNCIRCULATED ROLLS COMMEMORATIVE HALF DOLLARS

2078. 1936 SAN DIEGO, Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. RARE. Catalogs 1,000.00

2079. 1952 WASHINGTON-CARVER, Original Choice Uncirculated roll 20. Ad 120.00

CIRCULATED ROLLS EAGLE-INDIAN CENTS (50)

2080. 1857 Flying Eagle, roll 50, about good to good, some possibly v.g. Catalogs low at only 250.00

2081. 1858 Large Letters, similar average condition. Cat. low at only 275.00

2082. 1858 Small letters, similar average condition. Cat. low at only 275.00

2083. 1859 Indian, WREATH REV., similar average condition. TYPE.

2084. 1860 Shield Rev., similar average condition. Catalogs low at only 125.00

2085. 1861 Similar average condition. SCARCE. Catalogs low at only 325.00

2086. 1862 Similar average condition. Catalogs low at only 100.00

2087. 1863 Similar average condition. Catalogs low at only 100.00

2088. 1864 Copper-Nickel, similar average condition. Cat. low at only 212.50

2089. 1864 Bronze, similar average condition. Catalogs low at only 87.50

2090. 1865 Similar average condition. Catalogs low at only 92.50

2091. 1879 Similar average condition. Catalogs 75.00

2092. 1880, 81, 82, 83 Roll each, similar average condition. Catalog 175.00

2093. 1884 Similar average condition. Catalogs 75.00

2094. 1885 Similar average condition. Scarce. Catalogs 162.50

2095. 1886 Similar average condition. Catalogs 92.50

2096. 1887, 88, 89 Similar average condition. Catalogs 65.00

2097. 1890-91-92-93-95-96-97-98-99 Roll 50 each, very good to fine (part to all of Liberty). Cat. v.g. 65¢ to 85¢ each; fine $1.25 to $2 each.

2098. 1894 Very good to fine (part to all of Liberty). Cat. v.g. $175 & fine 312.50

2099. 1900-01-02-03-04-05-06-07-08 Roll 50 each, very good to fine. Cat. v.g. 55¢ to 60¢ each; fine $1 to $1.10 each.

2100. 1909 Indian, Very good to fine. Scarce. Roll catalogs v.g. $55 & fine 87.50

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Price List of Sale $1.00 — Use Back of Bid Sheet for Want List

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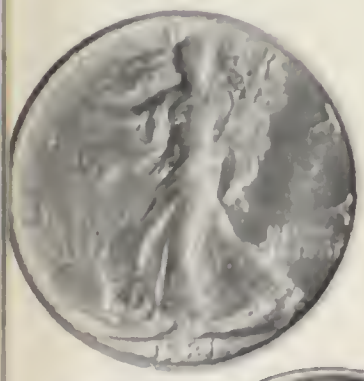

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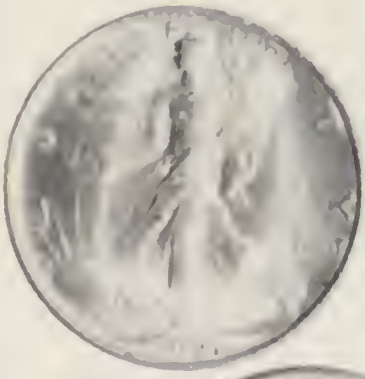

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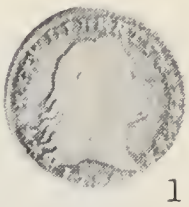

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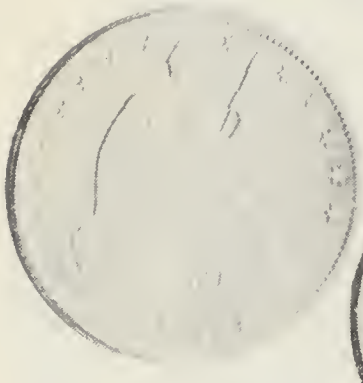

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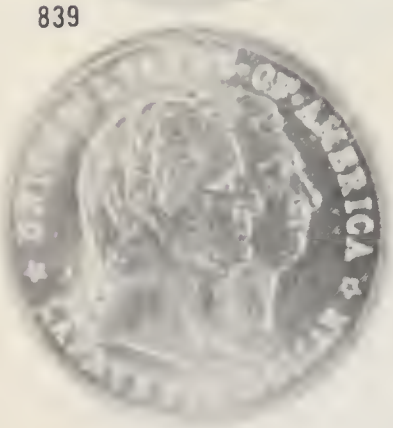

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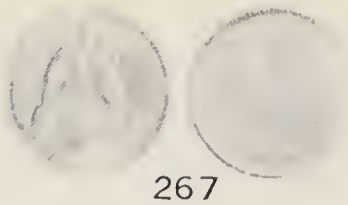

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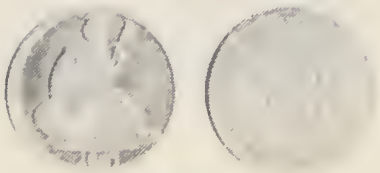

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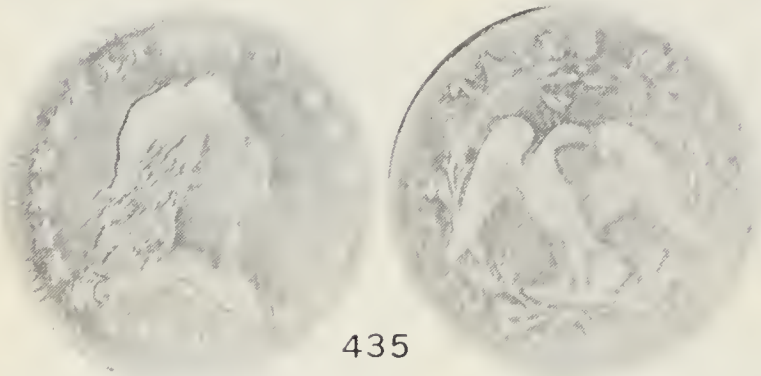

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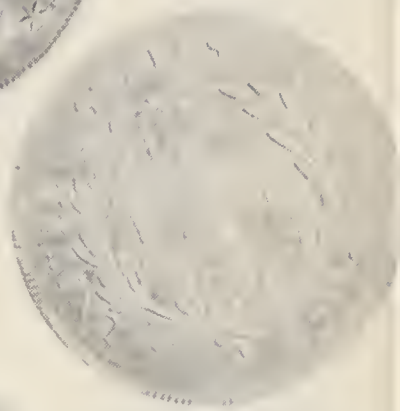

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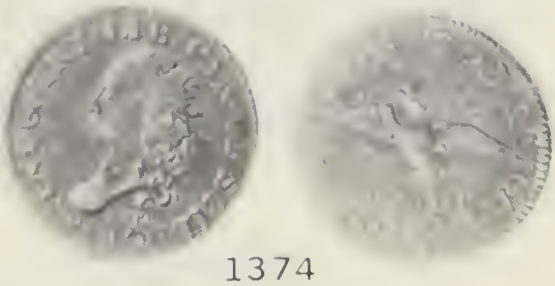

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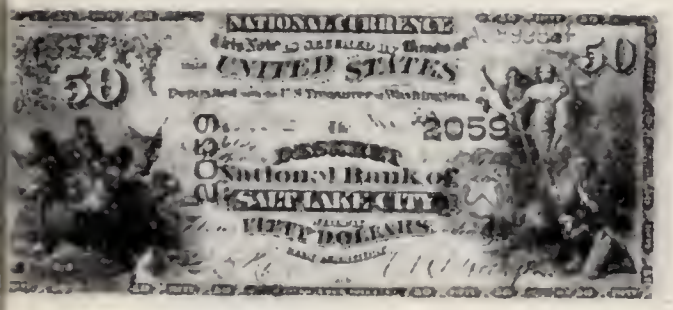

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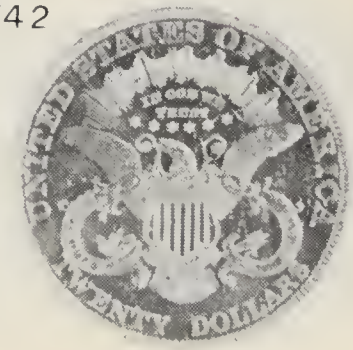

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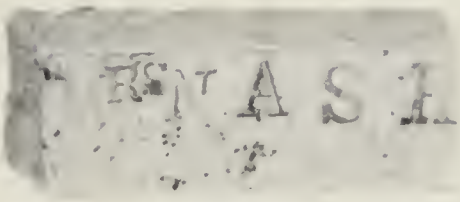

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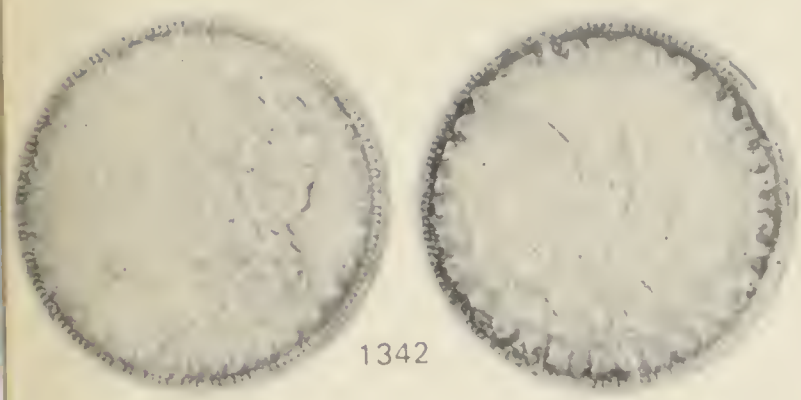

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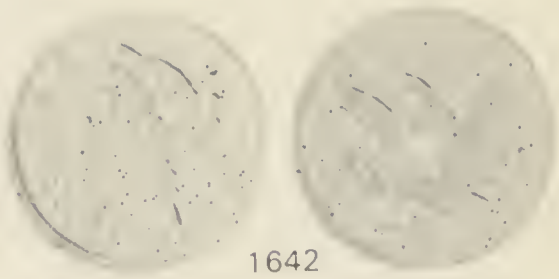

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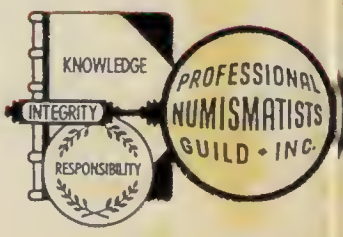

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